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HOLLAND CITY NEWS

VOLUME FORTY-SIX

Thursday, May 17, 1917

NUMBER TWENTY

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Thriftiness is preparedness of the right kind. Saving today against the needs of tomorrow is important. Wasters can take no part in helping to protect the country. A waster is as bad as a slacker. If most of us will save what we have been in the habit of wasting, the continued prosperity of the country will be sure.

THE FIRST STATE BANK

NO HOLLAND FAIR DURING COMING FALL

DIRECTORS DECIDE UNANIMOUSLY THAT CONDITIONS FACING COUNTRY MAKE THIS IMPERATIVE

Action Taken as Patriotic Move With No Suggestion of the Spirit of Panic In It.

There will be no fair during the coming fall. This was the unanimous decision reached last night at a meeting of the directors and others interested in the fair held in the city hall. But in coming to this decision the directors laid emphasis on the fact that the action taken is solely on patriotic grounds and is not to be interpreted as meaning that there is any element of panic in the minds of the fair directors. As one man expressed it, the farmers are having a prosperous year and it would be entirely possible to hold a successful fair, but the seriousness of the times demands that every ounce of energy shall be put into greater production along all lines, and it would be truer patriotism to forego the fair for this year and devote all energies to backing up the government in its effort to make every motion count toward winning the war.

During the discussion there were two or three directors who urged arguments for the holding of a fair as usual, but so convincing were the arguments put up against holding a fair that the vote showed a unanimous decision.

Secretary E. P. Stephan repeated to the assembled directors a conversation he held with George F. Getz in which Mr. Getz described the real conditions that confront this country today. Mr. Getz spent some days in Washington and New York and got an inside line on what the government is thinking about the war situation and what is contemplated for the future.

As a result the Lakewood Farm man strongly advised against holding a fair, and when asked by Mr. Stephan, if, in case a fair was held, he would again take part, he said he couldn't devote a dollar to it. He would have to be counted out entirely in any plans that were made because he felt it his duty to his government not to expend energies on any thing of this nature that should be devoted to increasing the food supply of this country.

The argument having been advanced that the cutting out of the fair would be interpreted as being the result of a feeling of panic and that hence it would encourage a feeling of panic in others, Jacob Lokker declared that he was going to put the energy which he otherwise would spend on the fair and on similar ventures into the planting and cultivation of an acre or two of ground. That, he declared was the proper basis on which the action was taken, to encourage all to use their surplus energies to make two potatoes grow where formerly there grew only one.

By fall a great many families are going to have sons in camp somewhere in this country training for war. It was argued that those families are not going to be deeply interested in fairs and that the fair should be postponed also as a matter of sentiment, in harmony with the feelings of serious strain that possesses the whole country.

COMMON COUNCIL HAS INVITED THE NEIGHBORS TO CELEBRATE WITH US

On motion made by Alderman Congleton, the Common Council unanimously invited Zeeland, Saugatuck, Douglas and Pennville, neighbors to celebrate Memorial day with Holland, the guests of the day, Mayor and Common Council. Invitations have been sent the governing bodies of these towns.

CITY BOARDS MAY BUY THEIR COAL JOINTLY

That the city boards having a great deal of coal to purchase get together and pool their purchases in order that money may be saved in so doing, was the unanimous request of the Common Council.

The different boards are requested to call a joint meeting to bring this matter up and it may develop in purchasing the city coal in one large lot, to be distributed to the different departments later which may save the city money.

So great is the need of ministers in the Christian Reformed denomination that Prof. J. G. Vanden Bosch of Calvin College, though not ordained, is to be allowed to preach on Sundays, filling regular pulpits engagements. He will serve in this capacity until August when he will be examined in the chief doctrines of Reformed theology. Mr. Vanden Bosch is instructor in English at Calvin College. He is a native of Zeeland and a graduate of Hope College.

GEORGE F. GETZ TELLS WHAT THIS COUNTRY FACES

GIVES HIS IMPRESSIONS GAINED FROM VISIT TO WASHINGTON AND NEW YORK CITY.

Says People in This Part of the Country Do Not Realize Seriousness of The Situation.

That conditions that are confronting the American people today are much more serious than the average man in Holland and throughout the Middle West realizes is the opinion of George F. Getz of the Lakewood Farm. Mr. Getz last week spent four days in Washington, D. C., and in New York City, conferring with government officials and railroad and other business men, and in a conversation with E. P. Stephan he gave a hasty review of the conclusions drawn from what he heard there.

According to Mr. Getz this country is fast approaching government control of the railroads; the government is seriously considering the control of mines and just as seriously the government control of the agricultural resources of the nation.

While there is as yet no nominal control of railroads, Mr. Getz declared that in reality the government is using the railroads pretty much as it sees fit. An order from the government for cars must be obeyed by the railroads and they must set aside all private business to meet it. The government is seriously considering plans to put all miners and all farm workers under direct government control and to conserve these natural resources for the good of the whole nation and for the good of our allies in Europe.

Moreover, the government, according to Mr. Getz, is seriously considering taking control of all automobile and piano plants, discontinuing the manufacture of these luxuries and using the plants to manufacture necessities that can be used in prosecuting the war and in keeping the normal business of the nation going.

Mr. Getz has considerable of a problem on his hands at the Lakewood Farm as a result of the war, according to Mr. Stephan. Several of his hands have enlisted and the help problem is a serious one. Moreover, the hotels and restaurants throughout the country are beginning to cut such luxuries as squabs off their bills of fare for patriotic reasons, and Mr. Getz has some 10,000 squabs on his hands at the farm, to say nothing of about 40,000 young chicks.

The Lakewood Farm is going to be patriotic to the limit during the coming months in the best way in which patriotism can be shown at this time, namely through cutting out unnecessary luxuries and increasing production of foodstuffs. In past years Lakewood Farm has been the mecca of Chicago newspaper men, artists, writers and business men. This year there are to be no parties of that kind at the farm; all energies are to be devoted to more serious business.

FARM EXPERT WILL NOT BE HIRED BY THE CITY

COUNCIL TURNS DOWN REQUEST OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Although at a former meeting of the Common Council, action was taken to pay half of the expenses, namely \$200 to hire a farm expert to instruct Holland how to plant and grow things in order to increase the food supply, most of the aldermen had a change of heart last night and voted to rescind the action taken at a former meeting. Even Mayor Vandersluis said that at first he was enthusiastically in favor of hiring the expert but as he looked into the proposition more closely, considering the lateness of the season and that most of the produce was already planted, he changed his mind as to the advisability of an expert at this time.

Alderman Drinkwater also had a change of heart although Alderman Lawrence stuck by his guns and said we should have an expert. Said the Alderman from the Fourth: "We spend hundreds of dollars for botany in our schools, why not give our children some real productive and instructive botany that will be a benefit to them through life."

"I believe in standing by our original intention as we voted at the last meeting namely that the Board of Education give \$200 and the Common Council \$200, to maintain this farm expert for the season."

Alderman Dykstra said "the expert was six weeks too late, otherwise he would favor it."

Alderman Prips in his usual droll way said, "The planting was done two weeks ago and we can't hire an expert for sunshine and rain so I say let's drop it."

When the vote was taken it stood as follows: Yes, Verschure, Congleton, Lawrence, No, Prips, Drinkwater, Brieve, Brink, Dobben, Dykstra, Van der Liest and Wiersma.

There will be no farm expert.

OLD LAND-MARK IS SOLD TO JACOB LOKKER

THE OLD GEORGE SIPP HOME ON FIRST AVENUE AND 12TH ST. PASSES INTO OTHER HANDS

Reminds Older Residents of Some Old Time History, Showing Too How Holland Has Grown.

Jacob Lokker, of the Lokker-Rutgers Co., has purchased the old Sipp homestead, on the corner of First Avenue and Twelfth street, including all the contents for \$2250.

The home of the late George Sipp, for a number of years Holland's veteran city clerk has passed into other hands. To the older residents the big square unpainted house, standing alone on the at one time prairie, looked like a large fortress and was the only house across from a swamp, thru which Tannery Creek wound its way. All this of course has been changed and now the lone home of the aged city official is surrounded by beautiful residences and paved street.

The late George Sipp was not alone the city clerk in those days, but was the City Engineer, City Surveyor, City Architect as well, while his estimable wife was the librarian of the city when books were not so plentiful and the library building not so pretentious as it is today.

Charles McBride, city attorney, who is executor of the George Sipp Estate, took two pictures from the wall of the home, a likeness of Mr. and Mrs. Sipp and has placed them prominently in our present beautiful City Hall.

One of the beautiful buildings, at least considered so at that time is Engine House No. 2. Formerly Columbia Hose Co. No. 2 had stored their two-wheel hose reel under the Kanters home directly to the west. This place was found inadequate and a joint fire engine house and city hall was built at the same time. Among the prominent names appearing on the cornerstone today is the name of George H. Sipp, the architect.

It is said that Mr. Lokker will build a fine new residence on the site of the old Sipp homestead in the near future.

AUTO COLLISION RESULTING IN VERY HEAVY DAMAGES

BOTH CARS DAMAGED TO THE EXTENT OF SIX HUNDRED DOLLARS.

An auto collision that resulted in heavy damages to both cars took place on the corner of 10th and Central Ave. last evening.

The beautiful new car of Frank White, driven by his son, was given a broadside full on by the delivery car of B. Nysson, grocer. The White car was damaged to the extent of \$400 and is a total wreck on one side. The Nysson car has the radiator, front wheels and part of the engine smashed. The usual dispute as to who is to blame is now being thrashed out.

Both cars were put out of commission and had to be lugged to the repair shop.

COURT CASE HAD FEATURE NEW TO HOLLAND

TRIAL IN CITY HALL YESTERDAY IS TAKEN FROM ONE JUSTICE AND GIVEN TO ANOTHER

A case was tried in the city hall yesterday under circumstances that are different from any within the memory of the local court officials. The trial of the case of Louis Goldman vs. Chas. Shaff was begun yesterday in Justice Sooy's court, but on motion of Attorney Robinson, representing Mr. Shaff, the case was not tried before Justice Sooy but Justice Van Schelven was substituted. The motion was made on the ground that Mr. Sooy had not filed his oath of office or his bonds since the election of 1915 and that therefore he had no legal jurisdiction in the case either under the charter or under the state law.

There was danger for a moment that the case would not be tried at all yesterday because of this complication, but in order to save expenses for the county an agreement was reached by the attorneys and justice involved to substitute Justice Van Schelven for this case and to go right on with the trial as it had been begun.

Goldman claimed Shaff had embezzled \$25 given him to buy junk with, and Shaff claimed the money was a loan to be repaid by him in labor and that he had more than repaid it and had money coming from Goldman. The jury disagreed. Prosecutor Miles appeared for the people.

Mr. Sooy today admitted that he had not filed his bond but he said it was purely an oversight. He believed all the while the bonds had been filed and he had performed the duties of his office for two years under this impression. He declared he was perfectly willing to have another justice handle the case so avoid any technical question of legality. This morning he filed his bonds, thus removing the disability and giving him the right to perform the duties of a duly elected justice.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS RESIGNS IN A BODY

REFUSAL BY THE COUNCIL TO RAISE THE SALARY OF MR. CHAMPION MADE THIS IMPERATIVE

Board Felt That Its Ability to Judge and Manage is Questioned By the Council.

One of the most unfortunate things transpired just at the close of an otherwise tranquil meeting of the Common Council last evening.

It was apparent that something was brewing when it was found that Chairman Stephan, and every member of the Board of Public Works were present and had taken seats amongst the many spectators that had gathered together.

Mayor Vandersluis told the Council that the Board of Public Works were there for a purpose and he called upon Chairman Stephan to make that purpose known. Mr. Stephan in a straight business-like way pointed out in detail why R. B. Champion, the most efficient Superintendent the Board ever had should receive the raise in salary asked for by the Board. He said that the Board had gone over this matter very thoroughly. The Board members who come directly in contact with the man who is responsible for the success of Holland's public service enterprises are better able to judge than the Common Council who see things at long distance, and whose mind is taken up with a great many things of a general and detailed nature.

Mr. Stephan also pointed out that although the Board was formerly appointed by the Common Council, today it was a peoples' body elected by the voters and responsible to the voters for any actions it might make. "If the people do not like our way of doing business they have the privilege of kicking us out, and up to this time it seems they have not seen fit to do so," said Mr. Stephan.

"All Boards of the city are put there for a purpose. They are there to manage their department of this city's government, and they are in a position to know what is required and whether the servants under them are able and efficient. If we have performed our duty well it should be shown that we have done so and in the case of Mr. Champion we can make ample showing that he has saved more than his salary to the city in purchasing alone."

"Holland's Light and Water Plant has an enviable record all thru this country. The municipal journals and big engineering men write and speak in the highest terms of it. As a sample of what other people think, I wish to read you a letter from one of the prominent men of the Ohio State University." Mr. Stephan then read the following:

Columbus, May 9, 1917.
Mr. R. B. Champion, Supt., Holland, Michigan.

Dear Sir:—
Your report for the light and water plants of the City all have been very carefully gone over and we wish to thank you very much, for it shows that you are still maintaining the reputation of having one of the best, if not the best managed municipal utilities in the country.

Your very truly,
Wm. C. McCracken.

"This is only one of the evidences of the reputation made by our Board of Public Works under the able management of its superintendent R. B. Champion, who is directly responsible and therefore the Board of Public Works asks that you reconsider your former action and give him the raise asked for by the Board which he so richly deserves."

When Mr. Stephan finished speaking Mayor Vandersluis asked for a discussion of the matter but none of the aldermen seemed inclined to talk, whereupon Alderman Congleton, seconded by Ald. Lawrence, made a motion that the raise in salary be granted as deemed wise by the Board. When the votes were counted it was found that the motion was lost.

Ald. Congleton, Brink, Lawrence, voted for the raise. Alds. Prips, Verschure, Drinkwater, Brieve, Dobben, Dykstra, Wiersma and Van der Liest voted against the raise. Alderman Kammeraad was absent.

When the vote was called by City Clerk Richard Overweg and it was found that the motion was lost. Mr. Stephan jumped up and said: "Your adverse action for the second time, on a matter that we have given full and due consideration shows us that you have no confidence in your Board of Public Works and for that reason I tender you, sir, the resignation of the entire board."

Mr. Drinkwater immediately made a motion that the resignation be not accepted. Mr. Stephan got up and said "it is not whether you wish to accept it or not, we simply have resigned, regardless of what action you may take in the matter." Stephan's statement brought a round of applause from the spectators present.

The Nut factory that is making Demountable wheels, possible at a \$1 a wheel, with offices in the McBride block is doing a fine business. One man writes he would not take \$10 if he couldn't get another one, while another one says that he demounted all four wheels in nine minutes and he did not even have the wrench peculiarly fitted for this work, furnished by the company. It seems that even a "nut" factory pays.

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GOSSIP OF OUR CORRESPONDENTS

THAT MAY OR MAY NOT INTEREST YOU

ZEELAND.

John Volkers of West Main street left Thursday evening with three other boys for Iowa to work the farm.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Barense—a daughter.

Miss Mattie Van Haltsma of Vriesland was married Thursday to Marinus Leenhouts of this city. The event took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Van Haltsma of Vriesland.

Miss Anna Cook of Grand Rapids is visiting with relatives and friends here.

G. Van Ommen of Forest Grove died at his home Wednesday. He had attained the age of sixty-five years. Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon. A widow and several children survive.

Dr. and Mrs. Vander Berg of North Holland were in the city Thursday.

Mr. F. M. Wert of Detroit has returned home after a few days visit. Mrs. Van Wert is still visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. De Kruif.

William Kardux and Fred Styzama drove in two Fords from Detroit last week.

Dr. J. Brouwer and Dr. De Pree were in Battle Creek to attend the doctor's convention.

Seth Coburn of Hudsonville was in Zeeland Thursday.

The Zeeland City band gave a concert at North Holland Thursday evening. The band was directed by John Mulder. A splendid program was rendered and the school house was crowded.

The Spring Mission meeting of the Young Peoples' Alliance of Classis Zeeland, Christian Reformed church, was held at the North Street Christian Reformed church Thursday evening. There was a large attendance and all the societies did their part in making this a rousing meeting. The Rev. W. D. VanderWerp of Drenthe presided. The principal address was given by Rev. L. J. Lamberts. Several musical numbers and readings were given. The Rev. J. H. Gebrings closed the meeting with prayer.

The Rev. G. DeJonge of Zeeland conducted the services at the Reformed church in South Haven Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Beukema of Grand Rapids are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Kampe on Taft Avenue.

Mrs. John Mulder of Grand Haven is visiting at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Rev. and Mrs. Leonard Trap.

Prof. Kuiper of Overisel conducted the services at the Third Christian Reformed church Sunday evening. Prof. Kuiper and his family are spending a few days visiting friends here.

Mrs. V. Wells of Illinois is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Wells on East Main street.

The Rev. Benj. Hoffman of the Second Reformed church in Holland Sunday. Dr. G. B. McCrory of Hope College preached in the local church.

John Ver Lee of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with relatives in Zeeland.

Miss Eva Prulm of Lansing, formerly of Zeeland is visiting with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Harrison of Holland spent Sunday visiting with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Titus De Pree of Centennial street.

Miss Marie Fox of Grand arrived here Saturday for a visit at the home of Mrs. Marie Fox on Main street.

Rev. H. Mollema filled a classical appointment at Dunningville Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Van Eenennaam and children of Grand Rapids visited with relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Heyboer of Martin spent Sunday at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Heyboer on Main street.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon for G. J. Van Ommen of Forest Grove.

Marie Bouwens of Grand Rapids is visiting with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Bouwens, Sr.

E. J. McDermund, local photographer, has purchased a Maxwell of Lamar's garage.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith of Grand Rapids spent Sunday visiting at the home of the latter's father just south of Zeeland.

Ira to Mr. and Mrs. John J. De Jonge—a daughter.

Henry Meengs of Zeeland was married to Miss Nella De Jonge of Holland this week. The marriage was performed in Grand Rapids by the Rev. E. J. Tanis of that place. The couple immediately left for Lansing from thence to Detroit, and will return to this city during the course of the week. They will make their home on the corner of State street and Central Avenue in this city. Mr. Meengs is the son of Mr. G. Meengs of this city.

J. N. Clark is in Detroit on business.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Wert of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. A. De Kruif motored to Grand Rapids the first part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Huizenga and family of Beaverdam visited with the latter's parents in Zeeland this week.

The Christian Endeavor society of the church at Jamestown held a banquet Tuesday evening.

Mrs. John Haan has returned home after spending a week's visit with friends in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Karlux and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kardux of Holland visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Vis on State Street.

The Senior lass has chosen as class orators, Gerrit Boeve and Russel Van Dyke. These two members together with Marinus Van Loof, Nelson Vande Luyster, Harriet Hoffman and Edward Den Herder will be the speakers on commencement night.

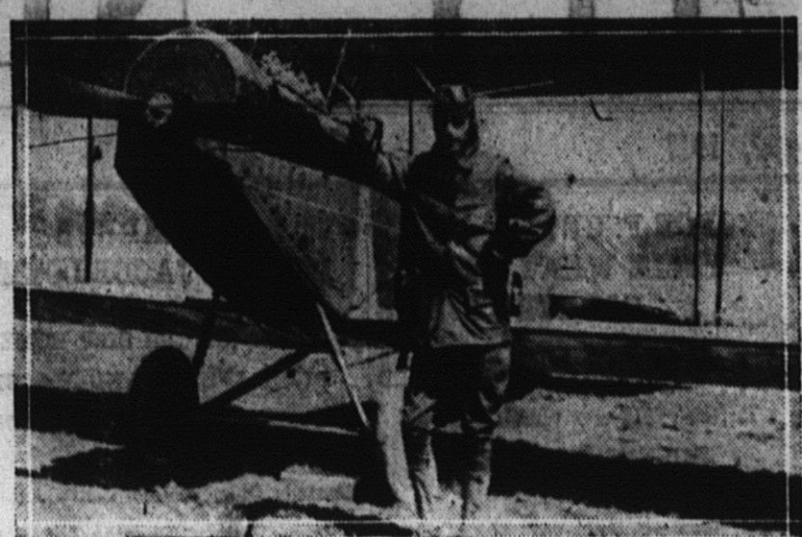
A. C. Wierenga has sold a lot in the Shoemaker addition to B. J. W. Berghorst.

J. E. Murray of Holland was in the city on business Tuesday.

Two carloads of cattle were shipped yesterday to Chicago by local shipping butchers. J. J. De Pree went to Chicago to look after the stock.

The local Boy Scouts will make a hike Saturday. The Scouts are not

HOLLAND BOY GRADUATES INTO U. S. AIR SERVICE



Meet Jack Zoerman, Holland's representative in the aviation service of the United States.

This dashing aeronaut in khaki, tight-fitting cap and goggles, ready to spring into his machine and soar up and up into the sky, spying on the enemy or patrolling the American coast, claims Holland as his home town. He is a brother of Jacob Zoerman, the 16th Street hardware dealer, and Herman Zoerman, proprietor of the Maecatawa bath house. His home is at 94 West 12th street.

John Henry, known only as 'Jack', took his brothers and sisters by surprise when he sent word from Chicago three months ago that he had entered the aviation corps and was on his way to Memphis, Tenn., to train. Now he is a full-fledged aviator and expecting a call at any time that will place him at a permanent station along the southern

border or on the coast.

Working as a mechanic with experienced aeronauts around Muskegon, Grand Rapids and Chicago for a year, without his relatives knowing that he was making flights, started in the work he has now taken up for himself. Submitting to the rigid test at Chicago, which made many of the candidates faint, Jack came out with flying colors and was approved as a student in the aviation training school at Memphis.

A letter just received from him describes his first flight after being instructed for three months. That flight was made Saturday, a week ago, and now it is his duty to make trips into the air alone with this machine as often as the weather will permit, to make himself familiar with the work and ready to serve Uncle Sam. He is one of 100 training at Memphis, the successful applicants of a crowd of about 700 mechanics.

A very quiet wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tuenis Palmboos last week Wednesday evening when their daughter, Dena, was united in marriage to George Van Rhee. Rev. W. Vander Werp performed the ceremony. The young couple will make their home in Hamilton.

The entertainment which was given by the Young Peoples Alliance club in Zeeland last week was well attended. A large crowd from this village were present.

E. K. Lanning has employed George De Vries as assistant clerk in his store for Saturday afternoon and evenings.

Peter Kiel and his sons Lambert and John visited at the home of his son-in-law, Mr. F. Spoor of Holland Sunday. Mr. Spoor is laid up with spinal meningitis.

Miss Alice Mast left for Grand Rapids Wednesday where she will be employed the coming summer.

CRISP.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brandens have returned after spending a few days at the home of their son in Cascade.

The homes of Henry K. Troost and John Bartels are quarantined on account of scarlet fever.

Miss Hazel D. Brittain, primary teacher at the West Crisp school spending Saturday and Sunday at her home in Reno.

Mrs. G. Boer and the Misses Winnie and Jessie Boer of Hudsonville, are visiting at the home of Rev. J. Bruinooze.

Mr. and Mrs. Ter Haar of Holland moved on the farm formerly occupied by Bert De Vries.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vander Schel of Holland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. P. Vinkemulder.

Several of the pupils of the West Crisp school took the eighth grade examination in Holland last week.

Mrs. Henry Hop is seriously ill at her home.

HAMILTON

Miss Alice Jurnies is visiting a few days in Holland.

Mrs. H. Loederman made a trip to Zeeland last Monday with her brother John Weaver met with an accident last Tuesday near Jamestown while working with the buzz saw by getting his left hand cut off.

Born to Miss Katie Weaver—a baby girl, May 7.

O. B. Wakeman made a business trip to Hamilton last week.

Rev. J. Poppen left last Monday for Pella, Ia., where he will visit his daughter Sarah.

Mr. and Mrs. Kuiper from Graafschap and Mr. and Mrs. J. Smith visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jipping Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Butler spent Sunday in the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Weaver.

G. Rutgers and lady friend visited last Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rutgers.

GRAAFSCHAP DISSENTERS

CONTINUE CHURCH FIGHT

The Holland classes of the Reformed church Tuesday awarded certificates of licensure to H. M. Veenschoten, H. V. E. Stegeman, Robert Kroodmas, and John J. Althuis, recent graduates of the western theological seminary.

Twenty-two residents of Graafschap, who bolted the faction favoring the moving of the village church to Central Park, petitioned the classes to organize a second church in Graafschap but the matter was referred to a committee.

A linen shower was given for Miss Henrietta Boyenga at the home of Mrs. D. Schaftenaar. Those present were Mrs. B. Vander Poel, Mrs. L. De Loof, Mrs. Alice Slagh, Mrs. Scottan's, Mrs. Vande Ploeg, Mrs. Buttles, Mrs. Wichers, Mrs. J. S. Brouwer, Mrs. Cramer, Mrs. D. Klien, Mrs. Gertrude Boyenga, Mrs. D. Schaftenaar.

Prizes were won by Mrs. De Loof and Mrs. J. S. Brouwer.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Sprietsma and daughter Miss Helen of Hamilton spent Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. L. N. Tuttle. Mrs. Sprietsma left Monday morning for Decatur, Ind., to visit Mrs. William Kremers.

Miss Jane De Voy and Miss Francis Churchill left for Grand Rapids Monday to attend the Auxiliary at St. Marks church. While there they will be guests of Miss Ruth Price and Miss Ethelyn Holt.

Grandville, May 17—Once again the residents of this village were confronted with the evidence that the price of every article, food or otherwise, is still advancing. The physicians here have notified their patients that hereafter their prices for making a call will be \$1.50 instead of \$1 as before. According to the M. D.'s the unheard of cost of the drugs, which they use in compounding their prescriptions, is the reason for the increasing of their rates.

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TWO BODIES RE-ORGANIZE AND ELECT SAME CHAIRMAN

STEPHAN AND MULDER HEAD BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS AND POLICE BOARD.

At a meeting of the Board of Public Works held Monday evening, E. P. Stephan the present chairman was re-elected unanimously by his fellow-members. Nothing of importance outside of the organization came up.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners the fellow-members re-elected B. A. Mulder as their chairman. John S. Dykstra, the newly elected member took his seat and passed the smokes to his colleagues.

A prolonged discussion as to who shall pay the damages sustained in running down Fireman Marten De Bie while he was responding to a call of fire was thrashed out.

It seems that in March, J. Dyke collided with the fireman with his auto and the man sustained injuries and loss of a wheel, the whole amounting to some \$40. Different witnesses were examined by the Board Monday evening but little light was shed upon the accident. Some settlement will be the outcome no doubt, and the faithful fire laddie will receive full compensation for his loss.

OLD VENTURA MAN DIES IN CALIFORNIA

Bakersfield, Cal.

To the Holland City News:—

I am sending you the item cut from the Morning Echo and the Bakersfield, Californian announcing the death of my uncle. He was well known around Holland and Ventura; he died April 15; was sick only a few days.

Yours truly,

Mrs. Fred Peck,

1250 Grace St., Bakersfield, Cal.

William M. Jozzellyn, 62 years old and a native of New York, died yesterday morning at a local hospital following a brief illness. He had only been a resident here a few months. The funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the parlors of Bayne-O'Meara with the Bakersfield Odd Fellows in charge.

COMMITTEE OF RED CROSS TO GO TO G. R.

Mrs. George E. Kollen at a recent meeting of the American Red Cross in behalf of the Woman's Literary Club tendered the club rooms as a place of meeting for Red Cross work.

The kind offer was gratefully accepted and sometime this week a school of instruction in the work to be done will be given in the club rooms. A nurse from the Grand Rapids Red Cross will preside over these classes teaching members what to make, how to make it and how to send the things made. Articles used in hospital and surgical work are essential and those no doubt will be in the list of things required.

Mr. J. F. Bowerman, assisted by Mrs. A. T. Godfrey will go to Grand Rapids to get what information can be obtained and impart the knowledge to the members upon their return.

A purchasing committee has also been appointed to buy the necessary material to be turned into such articles as are needed in war times. The committee consists of Mrs. Ed Vaupell, Mrs. J. F. Bowerman and Mrs. G. J. Van Duren.

Within a very few days auxiliary Red Cross organizations will be formed in Grand Haven, Zeeland, West Olive, Polkton, Coopersville and other places in Ottawa county.

Executive Committee just appointed are: Chairman, G. J. Diekema; secretary, Art Van Duren.

Members, J. F. Bowerman, Gerrit Van Schelven, Mrs. Florence Boot, Mrs. G. E. Kollen and Mrs. G. J. Van Duren.

W. H. M. S. MEET MONDAY NIGHT

Program Was in Charge of Miss Clara McClellan and Was Very Interesting

The May meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the M. E. church, was largely attended Monday evening at the home of Mrs. E. B. Rich, 105 East Ninth street.

The Vice-President, Mrs. Etta Whitman presided. Devotionals were conducted by Mrs. Guy Moody and the program was in charge of Miss Clara McClellan. A review of the most interesting features of the recent missionary convention held at Grand Rapids was given by Mesdames Rich and McClellan.

The lesson from the study book was arranged into four divisions "Our New Possessions, Under the Power of Spain" was given by Mrs. N. Huijling. Government, by Mrs. C. Markham. Development of Education in Porto Rico—Religious and Moral Conditions, by Mrs. J. F. Bowerman, and Social Service by Miss Mabel Curtis. Two solos were sweetly sung by Marian Ingham, and a humorous duet was rendered by Marian Ingham and Marinus Schipper, accompanied by Miss McClellan.

The pastor Rev. J. F. Bowerman was present and gave a very encouraging talk. Mite boxes were distributed and five new members reported. The hostess was assisted in serving by her daughter Martha, and Miss Lucy Moody.

Grandville PHYSICIANS NOTIFY OF RAISE IN FEES

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CORONER'S JURY DECIDES AGAINST P. M.

CLAIM TRAINS ARE GOING TOO FAST. HOLLAND AT TOO HIGH RATE OF SPEED.

The jury drawn by Coroner D. G. Cook to deliberate on the death of the 18-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brunson, who tumbled on the track of the Pere Marquette R'y and was killed by the 4:20 train last Wednesday, brought in their verdict Monday morning.

Several witnesses were examined at the inquest and were thoroughly grilled by the coroner and the jury. The findings Monday morning of the jury were given in writing and were as follows:

The verdict found by jury impaled in the case of the death of Marguerite Brunson, aged 18 months on the 9th day of May, 1917, at about 4:15 P. M. on the Pere Marquette R. R. in the City of Holland, on the crossing on 15th street, in said city by a passenger train of the above railroad company:

The jury's opinion regarding the above accident, based on testimony heard during the inquest, is as follows:

That the death was accidental, but, that, according to the testimony produced at the inquest, that, we have reasons to believe, that the said train on the 9th day of May, 1917, did exceed the speed limit of both city ordinance and the rules of the State Railroad Commission.

That, we the jury recommend, that the city authorities and also the state railroad commission, be requested to look into this matter, and that more restrictions be made regarding the speed made on this railroad, entering the city of Holland and that the laws be enforced.

Fred Kamferbeck, Foreman
John Bosman.
G. T. Haas.
Dick Boter.
Henry Vander Linde.
Herman Van Tongeren.

ALLEGAN BANKERS HAVE NEW WAY TO LOAN FARM MONEY

GOOD FARMERS MUST BACK THE POOR FARMERS

An informal meeting of the bankers of the county was held in Allegan last week to consider the question of financing needy farmers in the purchase of seed. The bankers are desirous of helping as far as they can and will do everything consistent with good banking principles to aid the farmers this year. It is suggested where there is a community which will require help in this direction that a local committee be appointed of five or six farmers and that this committee borrow the money out of the bank on their note and they make the loan to the individual farmer, taking such security as the committee may think advisable. The individual notes may be placed with the bank and the bank will endeavor to make the collections. The funds when collected will be applied on the committee note. In this manner any worthy person may be financed and the banks protected. The question of farm help was also discussed. The banks will have blanks upon which any farmer desiring additional help may make application. The business men and employers of labor in the county will furnish lists of men who are willing to work on farms. The statements will be sent to the Y. M. C. A. secretary, who will endeavor to find suitable help for the farmer and arrange for the time of employment.

Report of the Condition of The First State Bank at Holland, Michigan, at the close of business May 1, 1917, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department:

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts, vis:—
Commercial Dept. \$667,516.87
Savings Dept. 314,385.95

Bonds, Mortgages and Securities, vis:—
Commercial Dept. \$55,536.25
Savings Dept. 638,201.91

Overdrafts 197.63
Surplus fund 25,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures 15,473.66
Other real estate 18,281.89
Items in transit 120.00

Commercial

Due from banks in Reserve Cities \$81,544.55
Exchanges for Clearing House 2,874.26
U. S. and National Bank Currency 36,542.00
Gold Coin 25,072.50
Silver Coin 2,292.10
Nickels and Cents 356.39

Savings \$140,081.80

Due from banks in Reserve Cities \$122,

Never Before
Such Saving

GOOD NEWS

No where will you
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As These

JUST WHEN YOU WANT IT MOST

Our annual Clearance Sale is always good news, and just now it will be appreciated more than ever. Hundreds of ladies are waiting for our sale, knowing the great savings are worth waiting for.

Sale Starts Tuesday, May 22

Our Entire Stock of Coats will be included with these just coming in, at a saving of 20% to 33%.

WESTERN UNION TELEGRAM

Received at 25CH. 22NL.

Chicago, Ill., May 14, 1:40 P.

French Cloak Co., Holland, Mich.

We have accepted your offer and are shipping you our entire stock of two hundred eighty seven coats at one third off.
4 PM.

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For Ten Years We Have Always
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Ladies' and Misses' Newest All Wool Spring Coats

All Blacks and
Colors
Just when You
Need Them



Worth \$5.00 now.....	\$4.00
Worth 5.75 now.....	4.50
Worth 7.50 now.....	5.75
Worth 8.75 now.....	6.75
Worth 9.00 now.....	7.00
Worth 10.00 now.....	7.50
Worth 10.75 now.....	8.00
Worth 12.00 now.....	9.00
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Worth 15.00 now.....	10.75
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Worth 18.00 now.....	13.50
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Worth 20.00 now.....	15.00
Worth 22.50 now.....	16.75
Worth 24.00 now.....	18.00
Worth 25.00 now.....	18.50
Worth 27.50 now.....	20.00
Worth 30.00 now.....	21.50
Worth 32.00 now.....	24.00
Worth 35.00 now.....	26.00
Worth 37.50 now.....	27.50



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Worth \$10.75 now.....	\$6.75
Worth 12.75 now.....	7.50
Worth 15.00 now.....	9.00
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Newest Colored
Petticoats
Special 98c



New
Night Gowns

Asst. Crepes worth \$1.00 special	\$.77
Asst. Muslin worth \$1.00 special	.79
Asst. Muslin worth \$1.25 special	.89
Asst. Muslin worth \$1.50 special	.99
Asst. Muslin worth \$2.00 special	1.39

Girls' & Children's Fast Color Wash Dresses

Sizes 2 to 16 years

Worth \$.48 now.....	.38
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Worth .75 now.....	.59
Worth .89 now.....	.69
Worth .98 now.....	.79
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Worth 1.50 now.....	1.19
Worth 1.75 now.....	1.39
Worth 2.00 now.....	1.48
Worth 2.25 now.....	1.69
Worth 2.50 now.....	1.89
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Corset Covers

WITH SLEEVES

Worth \$.25 special.....	.19
Worth .50 special.....	.39
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NEWEST SILK AND VOILE Waists

\$2.75 and \$2.50 Values, Special	\$1.95
\$3.75 Crepe De Chine, special	\$2.95
\$4.50 Crepe De Chine, special	\$3.45
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Worth 1.75 special.....	1.29
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NEW RAINCOATS

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LOCAL NEWS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Milo Fairbanks—a daughter.

Miss Minnie Bingham has resigned her position as pianist at the Apollo Theater.

Miss Jennie Koppenaal has accepted a position in the store of Nick Kammeraad on West 13th street.

The Cappon-Bertsch Leather Company increased their capital stock from \$800,000 to \$1,500,000.

Through a mistake, the Traverse City commission raised the rate of electricity instead of lowering it as intended.

Neal Ball, a former Holland boy has signed up with the Eastern League at New Haven, Conn.

The funeral of Mrs. Dortha Hoeksema was held Sunday afternoon from her residence at West Olive.

Michael Klatt, formerly of Grand Haven is dead in Polkton township, Ottawa county.

The Fris Book store furnished the steel furniture in the new vault recently installed by the Board of Education.

Nelson R. Stanton examined more than 300 rural pupils in the Gymnasium Friday.

Congressman E. L. Hamilton is to again ask congress to locate a life saving station at or near Saugatuck.

Don't forget the Red Cross Benefit Dance given by the Rebekas at Odd Fellow Hall, Friday night.

B. Weersing was taken in by Speed Cop Bontekoe Saturday and was assessed a fine of \$5.00 by Justice Robinson.

The two months' quarantine of dogs in Allegan and Mecosta counties has been raised, and dogs in plenty are seen on the streets.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Oelen a son. Mrs. Oelen was formerly Miss Minnie Bouwkamp instructor in the kindergarten in the Christian school.

The headgear of the Grand Rapids police force has been changed from helmets to blue caps with the Michigan coat of arms prominently displayed.

A new firm to do business in the city is the "Tromp Highway Poster Service" for the purpose of doing poster work along the country highway.

A dozen people missed the Grand Haven train Monday when they arrived at the station at 5:30 to go. The train leaves at 5:15 a. m.

Mrs. D. J. DuSaar who was operated on a few weeks ago at U. B. A. hospital is doing very nicely and expects to be home the last of the week.

Architects J. & G. Daverman of Grand Rapids are preparing plans for a new cheese factory at Zeeland, Mich. It will be 50x195 feet, three stories, of brick construction.

Mr. Hoekje, a former resident of this city, spoke in Junior High school and visited the classes for information on the socialized form of recreation used here.

In the matter of Albert S. Gage, bankrupt, Holland, the adjourned first meeting of creditors was held. It appearing that the bankrupt did not appear, the meeting was held open.

The Holland Interurban is tearing up the track at the Y on River avenue and Eighth street and will replace the 65 pounds for 100 pound rails. The pavement will be replaced with new brick.

It is reported from Manistee that a robin has built its nest on an American flagstaff, which puts the bird and its family entirely under the protection of Uncle Sam.

Al Brinkman is hauling hay by auto truck. That's going some. He has the contract of carting hay from Drenthe to the Zwemer coal, wood and farm produce yards.

A joint P-T meeting was held Wednesday evening. Mr. Fell and Mr. Drew appeared on the program to introduce the question of physical training for next year. An expression of the parents unanimously favored it.

S. A. Ver Wey one of our local mail carriers has postponed his trip to Spring Lake Wednesday from which place he intended piloting a launch over to Black lake. Mr. Ver Wey is suffering with a severe cold.

Ralph G. Korteling is one of the "Rockies" from Holland who passed at Grand Rapids Tuesday and is now on his way to Columbus, Ohio, incident to going to Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont.

Walter Augustus Scholten, editor of the Hope College Anchor, was stricken Tuesday night with a semi-nervous breakdown. His condition is reported as somewhat improved.

John I. Gibson, secretary of the Western Michigan Development Bureau who has many friends here, gave the Grand Rapids Red Cross nine pecks of potatoes to sell for which the society realized \$5 a peck.

The Star Auto Co. received six Fords, driven through from Detroit, at 3:30 a. m. Tuesday morning and by 10 o'clock the same morning, the cars were all placed in the hands of their new owners.

Henry A. Bilkert, who was graduated from the local seminary last week will be ordained as missionary to Arabia Thursday evening in the Second Reformed church at Kalamazoo.

The new soda fountain recently purchased by the Quality Candy Shop has been installed. The fountain is one of the latest type made by the Fountain Specialty Co. of Grand Haven.

John J. Rutgers has started to move into his new store at 19 West Eighth Street. He expects to be ready for business in his new location by the latter part of this week.

The funeral of Miss Nellie Knutson was held Monday afternoon from her home at 398 West 16th St. Rev. J. F. Bowerman officiating. Interment was in the Graafschap cemetery.

Ex-Mayor Henry Brusse is making an extended trip thru New York state. A card sent from Seneca Lake, at Geneva, N. Y. shows the wonderful summer resort in that state.

There were 99 births and 35 deaths in Ottawa County during the month of March. To this total, Grand Haven contributed 13 births and 8 deaths and Holland reported 29 births and 15 deaths.

Because her prize cats get their meal first and because more attention is paid to them than to him, Al's D. Haner of Grand Rapids has asked to be divorced from his wife, Marie S. Haner.

John Schaefer, accused of being the man who held up a passenger train near Sparta, Wis., on which Mrs. J. D. Kanter and Miss Jennie Kanter of this city were passengers, has confessed to authorities.

The U. S. Dredge General Meade reached Holland harbor Friday afternoon, after being out of service for the last six months. The Meade will begin work on Holland harbor immediately.

Arthur De Haan, Joe Vander Noord, both of Holland, are now in the coast Artillery Corps, 3rd company, stationed at Fort Williams, Maine. The young men are cooks at present. Letters of friends will reach them at the above address.

The Fris News depot has been notified that all Sunday Chicago papers will sell hereafter for eight cents instead of five, and that all the Chicago daily editions will be raised from two to three cents.

A patriotic meeting will be held in K. of P. hall Thursday evening, May 17, at 8 p. m. Members and their families are cordially invited to be present. Good speakers and music. This is the invitation sent out by the Knights of Pythias of Holland.

The three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Knaff, 93 East 25th street died Wednesday morning after a lingering illness. The funeral will be held Friday at 2 o'clock from the home, Rev. H. Hoeksema officiating.

Max J. Reese and G. Marvin Brower senior class students at Hope college, have abandoned their studies and will engage in farm work in West Olive. Reese is president of the student council. Both will graduate at the June commencement.

Nellie Veurink, six years old, was severely injured when she was accidentally struck with a bat while playing ball at her home in Fillmore. A gash was cut to the bone in her forehead and several stitches were necessary to close the wound.

De Pree Chemicals and Warm Friends crossed bats Saturday in a practice game. The results were Chemicals 5, Warm Friends 3. Batteries—TeRoller and Rosendahl; Stool and Jappenga. The league's schedule will not begin for two weeks yet.

Mr. Gebbard Stegeman, '13, one of Hope's scholarship men in Chemistry at the Ohio State University, at Columbus, Ohio, where he has been taking work in chemistry for the past four years, has been elected to the chair of physical chemistry in the State University of Washington.

Arbor day the children gave an interesting program of recitations and dialogues appropriate to the occasion. For morning exercises we have been favored by numbers by Miss Virginia Van Verst and a quartet from the high school.

Gilbert Deuchars, a former Holland boy is now aboard of the U. S. S. San Juan De Austria. In a letter received here by relatives he states he will be pleased to hear from his friends at the above given address. Mr. Deuchars is the youngest brother of Mrs. Peter G. Damstra of this city.

A. N. Baker of Allegan county owns a pig which was lost and was found. Sometime ago the wind blew over his straw stack. Afterwards he missed one of his fattened porkers but supposing it to be dead and buried under the stack he neglected to search for it. Late last week, three weeks after the storm the animal emerged somewhat thin.

In the matter of Anthony Kuite, bankrupt, Holland, the first meeting of creditors was held. Arthur Van Duren of Holland, was elected trustee and his bond fixed at \$300. Appraisers were appointed to appraise the assets of the above named bankrupt who was conducting a butcher shop in Holland prior to his adjudication in bankruptcy.

The Federation of Mens' Adult Bible Classes will meet Monday evening, May 21 in the First Reformed church. This meeting will be of a patriotic nature and the church will be appropriately decorated for the occasion. Prof. E. D. Dimmet of Hope College will deliver an address on the present war situation.

La Vern Jones, Fred Vos, Bernie Mulder and Adrian B. Bosman of Holland passed the physical examination in Grand Rapids Tuesday in order to enter the U. S. Cavalry Service. They leave for Columbus, Ohio today and if the young men again pass, will then join the rest of the Holland boys now stationed at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont.

A calf was born on the Fred Leicht farm near Miner lake, Allegan county last week that was normal in every way except that it had two noses instead of one, four nostrils instead of two. The bone in the upper jaw seemed to have grown in two sections. It was a very odd head and was taken by Dr. Hare to the Grand Rapids veterinary college.

The signing by the governor of Senator Penney's fish bill will put all commercial fishing in the hands of one big fisherman, it is claimed, as the bill calls for commercial fishing outside of a two-mile shore limit. Saginaw Bay district fishermen are appealing to the governor to veto the bill. This no doubt will affect our hook and set line fishermen who fish out of Holland every day.

The fire apparatus of both departments Sunday responded to a fire at the home of Henry Vander Warf on State and 24th streets. A small blaze started under the porch, which did little or no damage. Monday morning they were again called out to the home of Jim DeVries, 25 West 15th street to extinguish a small blaze on the roof. The damage was slight.

Of the 106 persons examined at Howell for tuberculosis in four days 30 positive cases were found, 32 suspicious and one arrested.—Howell is the home of the tuberculosis sanatorium. This institution has done a great deal of good for tubercular patients of this state and the hospital was made possible by virtue of a bill introduced by N. J. Whelan formerly of Holland, who fought hard to get the measure thru.

According to reports the Rev. E. J. Krohne, of Borculo, has met with an auto accident, resulting in a broken collar bone and a number of broken ribs. If the report is correct he will not be able to attend the Calvin college board meeting this week. The Rev. L. Trap will take his place.

The Chief of Police has marked off the parking zone on River and 8th street with white paint plainly visible on the pavement.

The May meeting of the Treble Clef was held at the home of Mrs. Herman Vaupell, Monday evening, May 7th. The house was prettily decorated with flags. Each member could invite three guests and the meeting was well attended. The following program was given, and enjoyed by all: Miss Dickenson, a piano solo; Mr. Herman Priere gave several violin solos; Mrs. J. Ford Stratton and Miss Rosa Brand, piano duet; Mrs. S. E. Kelley rendered several vocal solos; Miss Rosa Brand, piano solo; Miss Bowen, vocal solo; Miss Fairbanks was the accompanist for the evening. The music was highly appreciated by all. After the program dainty refreshments were served.—Allegan News.

Articles of incorporation of a Red Cross Society in Allegan were asked for some time ago and a number of people including Judge O. S. Cross are taking interest. It was expected last week that something definite will be known and done about the organization. It is thought that the county will be organized together with Allegan city as the central unit. The ladies of Hamilton are already stirring about in an effort to have a society there or a branch. Mrs. Herman Brower sent word a few days ago that they hoped to be able to do something along the Red Cross line of patriotic work. Any other towns or communities in the county who are anxious to do Red Cross work should communicate with Judge Cross.—Allegan Gazette.

The first "Hospital Benefit" will be given Wednesday evening, May 23, by the Woman's Literary Club. The play to be presented is "Cranford" taken from Mrs. Gaskell's inimitable story. Cranford is an English village in the pre-Victorian period, a community of widows and spinsters, where nothing happens, no marriages, no births, no deaths even, and not a man in the place. There is a quaint charm about it though, and the dear old ladies are irresistible. Miss Ethelyn Metz will play the leading role and the members of the Literary Club the other old ladies first and foremost, the Honorable Mrs. Jamieson, and then, the rest of them. Be sure to reserve the date, Wednesday, the twenty-third. Tickets at twenty-five cents can be secured through members of the club. Come and enjoy a delightful evening and help our hospital.

Miss Ruth McClellan student at Ypsilanti spent a few days with her parents in this city.

Judge O. S. Cross was in Detroit holding court last week in an effort to help the Wayne county judges out of their congested condition. The courts are away behind on their work in Wayne. Judge Cross seems to be a favorite with the Detroit courts, as the authorities call him whenever he can be secured.

The following teachers from the Lincoln school spent the week-end at the Boot cottage, Virginia Park: The Misses Clara McClellan, Anna Boot, Ettamie Atwood, Mabel Curtis, Edith Bogard, Blanche Barnaby and Doruth Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Mulder returned Thursday night from an automobile trip to Battle Creek and Lansing.

Mrs. Arthur Van Duren has returned from a month's visit with her mother Mrs. Clara Shatterly of Utica, Mich.

Peter Dulyea and Frank Wall were trout fishing at Edgetts, Michigan at Mr. Dulyea's fishing and hunting lodge. John Mulder of the Square Drug Co. DuSaar & Mulder, proprietors, of Grand Haven, was in town on business Friday.

Miss Lena Kollen of Frankfort, Ky., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Kollen.

A. H. Brinkman was in South Haven Friday morning having a party.

Walter A. Scholten, editor of the Hope College Anchor spent a few days in Grand Rapids.

I. Altman was in Chicago on business. Chimney Sweep Fred Griffin was in Grand Rapids Friday on business.

Miss Vander Meulen was in Grand Rapids Friday visiting.

Walter Walsh was in Grand Rapids Friday on business.

James A. Brouwer took the interurban for Grand Rapids Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vander Veen were Grand Rapids visitors Friday.

Calvin Tardiff left Fort Leavenworth, Kan., Thursday with a squad of electricians for Fort Sam Houston, Texas, for active work.

Edgar Landwehr and Alex Van Zanten witnessed the motion picture spectacle, "The Birth of a Nation," at Grand Rapids Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Van Duren, Mrs. G. J. Van Duren, Mrs. Laura Kress, Miss Martha Bolen, Mrs. Frank Bertsch and Mrs. G. A. Lacey motored to Grand Haven Thursday evening to attend the meeting of the O. E. S. A very fine time is reported.

The K. of P.'s who motored to Ionia Friday and took part in the rally and sight-seeing were Dr. G. A. Stegeman, Al Riegerling, Ben Brower, Andrew Hyman, Joe Biberman, Wm. Orr, E. P. Davis, Ed Westveer, Richard Overweg, Hadley Buss, Ben Lievense, J. B. Mulder, Oscar Peterson, Peter Lievense, J. Olert, Sam Miller, John Vander Werp, Henry Kraker, Bob Slowinski, John Karreman, Walter Dill, Herman Vander Brink.

Rev. M. J. Flipse left Monday morning for New Brunswick, N. J., to attend a meeting of the Board of Superintendents of the New Brunswick Seminary.

Marine Bishop and friend attended the Birth of a Nation at Grand Rapids Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Dunn of Los Angeles, Calif., who have been traveling in the east for the last two months, came here last Wednesday for a few days' visit with their uncle, William G. Dunn, and at the old Dunn homestead. They are now visiting relatives at Allegan and Holland.—Saugatuck Commercial Record.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Dykstra and children of Holland passed Saturday and Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kias Dykstra and their sister, Mrs. John Brink and family.—Saturday Miss Blekken, Miss Althuis, Mr. Mack Reese and Marvin Brower, Hope College students of Holland, were pleasantly entertained at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Brower.—Hamilton Cor.

Mrs. Hazel Guild of Topeka, Kans., is the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wing.

Isaac Ver SeChure moved three loads of furniture to Grand Rapids the past week.

The following people attended the annual meeting of the Grand Rapids district Woman's Home Missionary society at Trinity Methodist church Grand Rapids, May 10 and 11. Mesdames Bowerman, Whiteman, Rich, Cobb, E. Markham, Rank, McClellan, C. Markman, Atwood, Watson, C. Fairbanks, and Miss Hazel Fairbanks. The Home Guards were represented by Martha Rich and Unita Cobb. Mrs. Etta Whitman was re-elected Cor.-secretary and Mrs. A. E. McClellan re-elected vice president. Rev. J. F. Bowerman of this city had charge of the installation services Friday afternoon. The whole delegation had reserved seats at the Bob Jones' tabernacle meeting Thursday evening.

A. W. Tilt of Chicago spent Sunday in the city.

C. Blom, sr., who was taken ill a short time ago is improving slowly.

The Misses Ida and Francis Churchill were Grand Rapids visitors Sunday.

Henry Van Ark was in Grand Rapids Sunday.

Mr. E. Bagge spent the week end in Grand Rapids.

Cornelius Andre of Jenison, former sheriff of Ottawa county, was in the city today on business. Mr. Andre is preparing his big farm for a monster crop this season doing his share toward stocking up the nation with food stuffs.

James Deto and Declan Whelan left Holland Monday noon for Ft. Sheridan, Ill., where they will join Uncle Sam's forces.

Miss Pearl Teachout and Mr. Herman Landwehr of Flint, motored to this city and were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Landwehr, Miss Selma Landwehr and Mr. Edgar G. Landwehr.

John Vander Horn left Monday for Angola, Calif., to make his future residence.

Mrs. Ed Ostermeyer of Chicago is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Rutgers at Central Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lindberg and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Habing motored to Grand Rapids Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Andersen and daughter of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with relatives in the city.

John Thuisin of the Veit Mfg. Co., took the noon train for Spring Lake Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Brusse and baby who have been the guests of their parents have returned to their home in Peru, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hadden returned Monday night from Florida where they have spent the winter months.

Mrs. J. Ten Cate left for Benton Harbor Tuesday where she is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. O. W. Dean.

Peter G. Damstra was in Grand Rapids Tuesday on business.

Seth Nibbelink was in Chicago Tuesday on business.

Henry and Lester Venhuizen left for Detroit Monday night from where they drove two Dodge touring cars for the Venhuizen Bros. Agency.

Miss Jennie Steketee and nephew Louis left Wednesday for Voorhees, N. J., to visit with Rev. John B. Steketee.

Bernie Bosman, youngest son of A. B. Bosman of this city, left for Grand Rapids to be examined for the U. S. Cavalry.

Miss Marie K. Zwemer has returned from her work at the Annyville Institute at Annyville, Ky., to spend a short vacation in this city.

Daniel Ten Cate was in Muskegon Monday in the interests of Mrs. Richard Hoedema, who petitioned temporary alimony until the divorce suit brought on by her husband is tried. Judge Sullivan compelled Mr. Hoedema to pay her \$50 each month toward the support of herself and that of a child 12 years old.

Roy Heasley, a junior in the Electrical engineering department at M. A. C. left Monday for Ft. Sheridan, Ill., to report at the Officers' Reserve Corps training camp. Mr. Heasley has already seen three years of training at the M. A. C.

Mrs. J. Culver who has been visiting Mrs. Robt. Kimpton at Grand Haven returned home yesterday.

Harry Knipe and Dave Blom left for Jackson yesterday to get Mr. Blom's new automobile.

Mrs. J. P. Oggel left yesterday for New Paltz, N. J. to spend a few weeks with her son Rev. N. V. Oggel.

Leonard Dailey returned yesterday from Columbus, O., having failed to pass the required examination.

W. H. Wing took the interurban for Grand Rapids Wednesday noon.

Mrs. E. B. Rich left Tuesday evening for Michigan City, Ind.

Henry and Lester Venhuizen returned Tuesday night from Detroit driving two new Dodge touring cars for the Venhuizen Bros. Agency.

Miss Ruth McClellan has returned to Ypsilanti State Normal school, after a few days' visit with friends in this city.

Martin Vander Bie, George Vrieling and Louis Taft Serier left Wednesday morning for Edgetts where they will spend a few days trout fishing.

Dr. J. A. Mabbs who has been spending ten days in Muskegon, returned home Wednesday. Mrs. Mabbs will remain there for a few more days.



Mr. and Mrs. H. Olert announce the marriage of their daughter Fannie to Peter Veltman on Thursday evening May 10, at their home 280 W. 14th St. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. R. Brink of Grand Rapids, uncle of the bride in the presence of immediate relatives. Miss Jeanet Veltman, sister of the groom played Lohengrin's Wedding March while the couple marched down the stairs unattended. The bride was dressed in white French Taffeta and Georgette-crepe and carried a beautiful bouquet of bride's roses and swansonia. The rooms were decorated with potted plants and spring flowers. After the ceremony an elaborate supper was served. Mr. and Mrs. Veltman are both popular young people, and will be at home to their friends after June 15 at 263 West 19th street.

Mr. and Mrs. John De Jongh announce the marriage of their daughter, Nella to Henry J. Meengs, Thursday, May 10th. Rev. E. J. Tanis performed the ceremony.

The Misses Nella and Dora Yander Meulen Thursday night gave a miscellaneous shower at their home, 63 West 15th street, in honor of Miss Lena Visser, who is to be a June bride. The San Tex girls who were present were the Misses Dorothy Zoet, Agnes Rhoda, Elizabeth Brummel, Lydia Eilers, Jane Plakke, Katherine Herringa, Minnie Plakke, Dorothy Munson, Keta Bremer, Nell Bremer, Hazel Harris, Cora Schaffenaar, Julia Boers, Bertha Hacklander, Jessie Tierman, Susie Rhoda, Hattie Lubbers, Kate Ottema, May Roseboom, Martha Kramer, Esther Burton, Florence Burton, Marguerite Knutson. A similar shower was given recently in honor of Miss Visser by Mr. and Mrs. John Van Lente.

A miscellaneous shower was given Friday evening by Miss Cornelia Kaas-hoek, 115 East 17th street in honor of Miss Rolenia Brink, who is to be a June bride. Numerous pretty gifts were received. Prizes were awarded to Jeanette Veltman, Sena Vanden Berg and Reka Streur.

The Forward Movement club of this city met Friday night at the home of Rev. J. Van Puersem. A paper on "The Typical American" was read by Mr. Arnold Mulder, former editor of the Sentinel.

Mrs. Henry Te Roller of 185 East Fifth street was pleasantly surprised Saturday afternoon by a company of relatives. The occasion was her birthday anniversary and the guests brought the refreshments with them. She was remembered with some fine Chinaware.

The Rebekas lodge will give a benefit dance on Friday evening of this week. The proceeds derived from this dance will be turned over to the Red Cross Society. All Rebekas and their friends are invited.

Gerrit Smith of Olive Township and Miss Frances Wright of Grand Rapids were married Saturday afternoon, Justice Gerrit W. Kooyers officiating. The young couple will be at home at No. 808 Ionia avenue, Grand Rapids, Michigan after June 1.

The Washington School P-T club closed an enjoyable and successful year with its last meeting Friday night. The chairman of the different committees appreciate all the help which they have received during the year. It was decided to use the school fund for welfare work among the pupils. The following officers were elected for the coming year: president, Mr. H. Geerlings; vice president, Mrs. E. Whitman; sec.-treas., Mrs. J. Raven; chairman of program, Mrs. J. B. Hadden; chairman of social committee, Mrs. J. H. Randall; chairman of Welfare Com., Miss R. Rogers; chairman of Press committee, Mrs. Chapman. The program consisted of a dramatization of Longfellow's "Birds of Killingworth," by the 6th grade. recitation by Virginia Maxted; talk on the Playground movement by Dr. Leenhouts. A solo by Mrs. D. B. K. Van Raalte. Sandwiches and coffee were served.

Mrs. L. De Loof last Friday afternoon entertained at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Etta Boyenga who is to be a June bride. Those present were Mrs. L. Brink, Mrs. M. Kuite, Mrs. Alice Slagh, Mrs. F. Slagh, Mrs. G. Van Dyke, Mrs. H. Schaftenaar, Misses Cora Schaftenaar, Helen Vande Linde, Etta Boyenga, Mesdames H. VandenLinde, J. Berkompas, H. Houting, J. Vrieling, H. Vande Floeg, J. Stegerda, A. Kleis, D. Schaftenaar, Gertrude Boyenga, B. Vander Poel, L. De Loof.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Baker of Rockford, Mich., were the guests of relatives in Holland over Sunday. Mrs. Baker was a former Holland girl, and is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Van Vyven, now of Rockford. She was married to Mr. Baker in Grand Rapids Thursday and with her husband is making a trip visiting friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Donnelly entertained last Friday evening in honor of Mr. Walter McGann who left for Chicago on Saturday where he will enter the Officers' Reserve Corps at Ft. Sheridan. Friday evening's affair was the final of a number of farewell parties given for Mr. McGann, he leaves many admiring and loyal friends in Holland whose respect and esteem he has won by his many sterling qualities. There is no doubt but Uncle Sam will find in him an efficient and valuable officer, and once more Holland can take pride in the men who are so nobly responding to our country's call. Mr. McGann has been connected in an executive capacity with the W. E. Dunn Mfg. Company since it came to our city.

Miss Minnie Verhove entertained at her home 519 Michigan Avenue with a grocery shower in honor of Miss Jennie Meppelink, who will soon become the bride of Harry Hoffa. Mr. Hoffa recently graduated from the seminary and has accepted a charge at Sibley, Iowa.

James Mieras, aged 5 years, toggled up in a rain coat, hat and rubber boots, showered the groceries on the bride-to-be. Prizes of the evening were won by Joy Luidens and Gertrude Wabake. During the evening a ladies quartette consisting of Janette Van Tongeren,

Jennie Prins, Joy Luidens and Anna Luidens rendered selections. Miss Amanda Roseboom sang a solo, Miss Hilda Stegeman gave a reading, Miss Janette Van Tongeren gave piano solo and Miss Hazel Moww a reading.

Those present were Dena Emmink, Henrietta Westrate, Clara Klomprens, Janette Van Tongeren, Jennie Prins, Jennie Vander West, Julia Den Herder, Hazel Moww, May Roseboom, Amanda Roseboom, Anna Luidens, Joy Luidens, Hilda Stegeman, Dena Vinkemulder, Henrietta Ailers, Grace Peigrim, Gertrude Wabake.

DE JONGH-BUTER WEDDING

A romance of several years standing culminated into a quiet and happy wedding Friday night, when Miss Jennie De Jonge of this city, formerly employed by A. Steketee and Sons was married to Mr. Thomas Buter of Zeeland, Michigan, at 8 o'clock at the parsonage of the Rev. Henry Hoeksema of the 14th St. Christian Reformed church. The bride was attended by Miss Dorothy Rykema and the groom by Mr. Albertus Vanden Berg.

After waiting patiently for more than an hour outside of the parsonage, the A. Steketee & Sons employees were finally rewarded by the appearance of the newly married couple and serenaded them with a combination of brass and kitchen band and showered them with rice. The happy couple were captured and tucked away in autos and paraded around the town and the surrounding country side amidst the music of the band.

The couple will be at home after a week on the corner of 17th and College Avenue. The groom being employed at the Standard Grocery Company.

PRETTY WEDDING TUESDAY

Rev.

MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE ARE SELECTED

EACH MEMBER DILIGENTLY AT WORK DOING HIS PART FOR THE GREAT DEMONSTRATION DEcoration DAY.

The weather permitting there is no doubt but that Memorial day 1917 will be one long to be remembered. In fact it promises to be the biggest and most impressive patriotic demonstration ever staged in Holland.

The parade will be the big feature and the music committee is already in touch with different band leaders in Ottawa County and Grand Rapids, incident to securing the proper music.

It is expected that the Allegan, Zeeland, Grand Haven, Holland High, Holland Concert Band and the Holland Martial Band will be in line to furnish the necessary music.

The Grotto Band of Grand Rapids, the official musical organization of the Masonic lodge in the Furniture City, is being negotiated with and it is said that this band of thirty pieces may also be added to music already secured.

Besides the extra preparations now going on the regular features of Memorial Day will not be forgotten. The ceremonies at the cemetery and in Centennial Park in honor of the boys in blue of '65, will be the same as has been customary. At Pilgrims Home the doings will be in full charge of Gerrit Van Schelven, Commander of the Van Raalte G. A. R. Post of Holland.

The different committees who will have charge of the Decoration Day demonstration here, will be the following: Committee on Demonstration—Gerrit Van Schelven, C. E. Drew, Frank Congleton (chairman), Carl Bowen, (Sec.), George Mooney.

Sub-Committee, Finance—Ben. Brower, chairman and treasurer, John Arendshorst, H. Van Tongeren, Dr. M. J. Cook, Will Lawrence.

Marshal—George Mooney. Decoration—Will Orr, chairman, E. E. Fell, M. A. Sooy, John Reimersma, A. Sirrine, Cecil Huntley, H. Meenge, Roy Klomprens.

Conveyance—John J. Cappon, chairman, Will Olive, John Boone, Gil Haan, Jake Lokker.

Music—George Mooney, chairman, J. A. Kelley, Austin Harrington, Frank Smith, Dean Vander Water.

Publicity—C. J. Dregman, Chr., Ben Mulder, Dick Boter, A. H. Landwehr, Bert Slagh.

Entertainment—R. B. Champion, Dr. Van Verst, Abe Postma, E. P. Stephan, W. O. Van Eyck.

Chief Marshal of the Day—John Homfield, T. N. Robinson, C. T. Bowen, John Boone, Fred Boone, John Erickson, Seth Nibbelink, Dr. Mersen, Jake Nibbelink, J. B. Nykerk, Prof. C. J. Dregman, Dr. W. G. Winter, Albert Keppel, H. P. Zwemer.

H. S. CONTEST TO BE HELD FRIDAY, MAY 18

Very unique indeed are some of the election cards that are being handed out by the candidates nominated to run in the high school municipal election, to be held Friday, May 18.

The candidates and their friends are being introduced to fellow-students who can vote, thru the card method. The campaigners are doing their best to find out which student is up in four subjects and those that are not are given very little time. However the others find that efficiency is a burden these days. Cards of all shapes sizes and colors are being used and many are the quaint sayings, warnings and admonitions found in connection with the name of the person found thereon and wishing to be elected to office.

"For Mayor, vote for Robert Dutton—Whatever we do, we must do in a bunch, for working alone, is a mighty poor bunch."—H. H. S.

A large yellow card—"Grace Mersen, for Alderman, Second Ward."

"Vote for Thelma Bennett, aldermanic candidate, Sixth ward."

"Re-elect Russel Rutgers for alderman, Sixth ward."

"Safety First, vote for Tony Den Uyl, for treasurer. 'Do it for Holland High'."

"Vote for Harold Hunt for alderman, Third Ward. Experience is the best teacher."

"Vote for Maurice Visscher for Prosecuting Attorney. Think is over."

"Vote for Katherine McBride, for Clerk."—A dainty little lady's card.

"Look before you leap. Vote for Fred Van Lente for treasurer. Your support will be appreciated."

"Vote for Chester Sulkers, for prosecuting attorney. A terror to evil doers."

OTTAWA COUNTY MUST SEND 226 MEN TO FRONT

Ottawa county has a population of 45,301 and the allotment to this county will be 226. If Holland has a population of 12,000 the number of Holland men to go will be 65.

Peter Huyzer Jr., of this city was presented with a gold-handled umbrella Wednesday night by the pupils and teachers of the Graafschap school of which he is principal. The company of young people surprised Mr. Huyzer at his home, Lincoln avenue and 22nd street. Miss Alice Scholten made the presentation speech.

WANT RINGING OF BELLS TO USHER IN REGISTRATION DAY

WHEN PRESIDENT GIVES WORD HOLLAND CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TO MAKE DEMONSTRATION AND A GREAT NOISE

Matter Will Be Taken Up at the Regular Meeting to See Which Part of the Suggestion to Adopt.

The Chamber of Commerce of the United States of America with headquarters at Washington, D. C., has written a letter to President Frank White and Secretary Bert Slagh asking them to co-operate with the civic bodies in other cities to make Registration Day for the Conscription of Soldiers one of great noise brought about by the ringing of church bells, the blowing of whistles to let the citizens know that the time for registration is at hand.

The letter and the suggestions what to do to bring this about follow below:

To the President and Secretary:—The Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, pursuant to a suggestion from official sources, asks the commercial organizations to make registration day for universal service, between the ages which will be fixed, an occasion for patriotic enthusiasm in their communities.

The date for Registration Day will soon be determined by proclamation of the President.

Your organization is asked to undertake for your community to make the day truly significant of American spirit. If there are other organizations in your city, please take steps to assume responsibility in common with them. You can call to your aid organizations of all other kinds in your community, the newspapers, and the ministers.

We feel that we can look to you to get your committee appointed, to make immediate preparation for this great day, and to have 100 per cent of your eligibles on the roll in your community. That will be a most important service to the nation.

Very truly yours,
ELLIOT H. GOODWIN,
Secretary.

Registration Day

Suggestion for Program—It is suggested that the program may consist of parade, music (including patriotic songs by school children) and speeches.

A general committee of from 25 to 100, according to the size of the community, can be appointed. This should be made to include representatives of city government, all civic and commercial bodies, employers, working men, and any other important interests.

The general committee can appoint sub-committees on parade, music, speakers, publicity and decorations. Church and fire bells can be rung and whistles blown at the time registration opens.

The place of honor in the parade can be given to young men of registration age. Other participants in the parade may be uniformed troops, if any; boy scouts, women's clubs, bands of music, school children, fire departments, such organizations as can turn out in sufficient numbers to make a showing, and citizens.

Costumes, floats and choruses will add to the spirit of the occasion. Everybody in the parade or among the on-lookers can be asked to carry or wear a flag. The spirit of the occasion should be one of joyous and uplifting idealism—a nation battling on behalf of the principle that "The world must be made safe for democracy."

The parade can start at 11 o'clock and place in its ranks made for those who have registered. Those who have not registered can be dropped out along the line in order that they may have an opportunity to register. Committees of men and women can be at every registration booth to pin an emblem on every man who registers. These emblems may be a bit of red, white and blue ribbon drawn through the button hole, a small flag pinned to the coat lapel, or a specially designed button bearing words to the effect that the wearer has registered: "I am registered—are you?" Whatever device is chosen can be designated as official and as an evidence of duty performed.

At the close of registration there may be a grand rally, with speeches, songs and music. This could be held in an auditorium or theater if rainy, or in front of the court house, town hall, or in an easily accessible park if the weather is clear.

This rally is for the purpose of doing honor to those who have registered. They are our defenders and all honor should be shown them. There can be talks by the leaders who best represent the community, and all talks made to sound the high note of patriotism.

For days prior to Registration Day the newspapers can carry news items of the appointment, meetings, and action of committees and editorials urging a record registration. Special window cards, and bill boards can be used to arouse enthusiasm in the event. Teachers can talk to their pupils and ministers to their congregations.

It is suggested that local Chambers might advertise the event through the courtesy of large local newspaper advertisers willing to contribute advertising space ordinarily reserved for private display. Suitable placards can be placed on automobiles, trolley cars, delivery wagons, bicycles and other available vehicles.

As this movement is to assure a registration which it is hoped will break all records no effort should be made to draw people from other communities. Each community should put on its own program and confine the celebration to its own people.

A new move was recently made by the old Van Raalte church, corner 9th street and College avenue, when English services were introduced. From now on part of the service will be as usual and part in English. This change has been under consideration for a considerable while.

WILL PROTECT HOLLAND SHOULD ACCIDENT OCCUR

STRANGERS THAT COME BUT ONCE A YEAR, MUST PROTECT THE CITY

Each year there has been considerable grumbling on the part of the regularly licensed bus and auto drivers, because when there are doings in Holland, such as fairs and circus days, strangers can run their conveyances without a license, pay no tax, pick the cream of the trade for those days and leave the city with pockets lined with green-backs. The city has no protection should an accident occur and for this and various other reasons an ordinance has been drafted by the Ordinance committee and will be brought up at the next regular meeting of the Common Council, for consideration.

The ordinance as drafted below may not exactly pass in this form, should the City Fathers see fit to make some changes, however the gist of the new law that may be placed upon the statute books of this city soon, follows:

An Ordinance To amend Sections 2 and 3 of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to License and Regulate Vehicles of every kind, used for the Transportation of Persons for hire, in the City of Holland, passed September 4, A. D. 1888, and approved September 5th, A. D. 1888, as amended.

THE CITY OF HOLLAND ORDAINS:

Sec. 1. That Sections 2 and 3 of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to License and Regulate Vehicles of every kind, used for the Transportation of Persons for hire, in the City of Holland, passed September 4th, A. D. 1888 and approved September 5th, A. D. 1888, as amended, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:—

Sec. 2. Before any license shall be issued as hereinbefore provided, for the transportation of persons for hire in said city, the person or persons applying for the same shall pay into the City Treasury the sum of \$5 and shall execute a bond to the City of Holland in the sum of Five Hundred (\$500) with two sufficient sureties to be approved by the Mayor, conditioned for the faithful observance of all rules, regulations and ordinances imposed by the City of Holland relating to such business and occupation and relating to street traffic, and to hold the City free and harmless from all loss, injury or damages by reason of the use of its street and public places for such purpose. Such bond must be renewed upon the renewal of any license granted under the terms of this ordinance.

Sec. 3. No license granted under the provisions of this ordinance shall be transferable, and if the licensed owner of any such vehicle shall sell or dispose of such vehicle before the expiration of his license, he shall within ten days after such sale report the same to the City clerk.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect two days after its passage. Passed June 1917. Approved June 1917.

Attest:—

City Clerk.

TO DELIVER MEMORIAL ADDRESS

Former Pastor, Rev. J. T. Bergen, of Minneapolis, Decoration Day Speaker

Owing to the recent death in the family of Arthur H. Vandenberg, of Grand Rapids, the local memorial committee has been informed that he will be unable to deliver the memorial address.

The committee has been fortunate to secure Rev. J. Talmadge Bergen, formerly a pastor of Hope church, now pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Minneapolis, Minn., to act in his stead. Mr. Bergen is a very fine orator and all should make it a point to hear him.

RED CROSS IS NOW LOCAL ORGANIZATION

IS ONLY BENEVOLENT BODY RECOGNIZED BY THE U. S. GOVERNMENT.

The Red Cross Society is now legally organized. The name will be the Ottawa County Chapter of the American National Red Cross. This is the only organization that is recognized by the United States Government in this line of work, in fact this body of benevolent workers is international in scope and are working under the regulations and by-laws adopted and promulgated by the National Society.

Provisions have been made to have three ex-officio directors. The mayor of the city, the president of the Chamber of Commerce and the president of Hope College. In this case the members would be John Vandervliet, Frank White and Ame Vennema. When the personnel of these office changes by virtue of an election, or brought about thru other causes, the personnel of these officers will also change in the Red Cross automatically.

The organization, as perfected Thursday are as follows:

Chairman—G. J. Diekema. Vice-Chairman—Mrs. Florence Boot. Treasurer—E. E. Fell.

Secretary—Arthur Van Duren. The directors are: Dick Boter, Mrs. Kate Hofsteen, Mrs. Emily McBride, E. E. Fell, Mrs. Martha Kollen, Miss Alma G. Martin, Mrs. G. J. Van Duren, James A. Bouwer, Rev. J. Bouwerman, Gerrit Van Schelven, Arthur Van Duren.

Nine more directors will be elected later but these will be selected from the rest of the county.

Friday noon 250 members have joined and several have signified their intention of becoming members. The soliciting committee is under the direction of Mrs. G. J. Van Duren and Mrs. Florence Boot. As soon as the list of members is made a little more complete, the chairman will then appoint the different committees, who will have charge of the duties assigned to them.

NOTED ACTRESS SPEAKS AT LITERARY CLUB

UNIVERSAL PEACE HAS TO BE BORN OUT OF THE HELL OF WAR" SAYS DIEKEMA

The presentation of "Cranford" having been diverted to a Hospital benefit for the evening of May 23, a substitute program had to be provided for yesterday afternoon, and so excellent was the one provided by the alert board of directors that no one would ever have suspected it of being a substitute. The slides illustrating the "Better Baby Movement" which had been delayed on Baby Day, were exhibited as the first number. The high school lantern was kindly loaned by Mr. Fell, who also loaned his efficient young son, Egbert, who ran the machine.

Miss Anthony of the High school sang to the delight of the audience as usual, a beautiful arrangement of Shakespeare's Lover and His Lass, and as an encore "A Bowl of Roses." The girls of the high school were the guests of the club. Also an honored guest of the afternoon was Miss Pavey, famous as Jo in "Little Women" of the Amy Robinson Company. Miss Pavey spoke a few earnest words to the ladies on the Red Cross work and the classes for training of women for various war services, work in which she is deeply interested. Miss Pavey illustrated her talk by several graphic stories of war conditions, and spoke most enthusiastically of the work of women in Toronto, where she has been lately.

The president then introduced her famous brother, Mr. Diekema, president of the Ottawa County Chapter of the Red Cross organization. Mr. Diekema spoke a few words of introduction on the thrilling interest and rapid movement of the times in which we live and of the great issues of this world

COMING AGAIN

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A partial list of diseases treated: Diseases of stomach, bowels, including appendicitis; liver, including gall stones; kidneys, spleen, blood, skin, heart, eye, ear, nose, throat, worms, epilepsy, swelling of the limbs leg ulcers, rheumatism, sciatica (sciatic rheumatism), paralysis, backward or undeveloped children, diseases of the respiratory tract including catarrh and bronchitis.

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Diseases peculiar to the young, middle aged and the old.

Those who are discouraged by having been treated with no benefit or who have been told an operation is necessary or who have been told their case is hopeless—are especially invited to call.

12-1-2t. Advt.

(Expires June 29) CHANCERY SALE

STATE OF MICHIGAN, In the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa, in Chancery. Holland City State Bank, a Corporation, Plaintiff,

vs. Andrew De Blauw, Gerlie De Blauw, Robert A. Jorgens, Mary A. Jorgens, First State Bank of Allegan, a corporation, and Pleasant I. Phillips, Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa, in Chancery, dated and entered the 21st day of March, A. D. 1917, in the above entitled cause, I shall on Monday, the 2nd day of July, A. D. 1917, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the north front door of the court house of said County of Ottawa, in the City of Grand Haven, in said County of Ottawa, in the State of Michigan, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa is held, sell at public auction to the highest bidder all the lands, premises and property situated and being in the Township of Olive, County of Ottawa and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: The southwest quarter (SW 1/4) of the northeast quarter (NE 1/4) and the northwest quarter (NW 1/4) of the southeast quarter (SE 1/4) both in Sec. No. twenty-four (24) in town six (6) north of Range sixteen (16) west, containing in all eighty (80) acres of land more or less according to government survey, and all to be sold together as a unit.

The said sale and all rights acquired thereunder will be subject to the right to redeem the property sold from such sale within six months from the time of sale under provisions of Act No. 314, on the Public Acts of the State of Michigan of 1915.

Dated, Grand Haven, Michigan, May 16, A. D. 1917. DANIEL F. PAGELSEN, Circuit Court Commissioner, In and for Ottawa County, Michigan. Arthur Van Duren, Attorney for Plaintiff, Holland, Michigan.

war for liberty. "Strange it is," he said, "that universal peace has to be born out of the hell of war, that the world must be united in universal suffering that out of it may come universal happiness.

The theme of Mr. Diekema's address was the Red Cross work in this county, and especially in Holland. Even in times of peace it is the Red Cross that springs to the relief of suffering at every disaster, and now that war has come it is the duty of every woman to see what part she can take to aid this great work. The Red Cross works in what is known as the third zone of army relief forces, organizing hospital units in cities near the camps. Mr. Diekema says he cannot share the optimistic view of those who hold that the English and French can drive back the Germans, especially the Russia is "lying down on the job," and the time will come when our boys will come home wounded, and we've got to get ready. Holland has already made a fine start.

Even before a branch of the Red Cross was established here the Woman's Literary Club began to get into touch with relief work, the Knickerbocker Society of Hope College have emptied their treasury into the cause, and the employees of many factories are joining the organization. The things we can do is pay a dollar and become a member, then help increase the membership, and then get together and make bandages and supplies. As to details, Mrs. Bowerman and Mrs. A. T. Godfrey have gone to Grand Rapids for a few days to learn more exactly what is to be done and will report on their return and direct the local organization. M. r. Diekema concluded with an earnest appeal for wide and willing help in this work. "You needn't believe in the war," he said to join the Red Cross, "for this is a work of mercy, and as there is always in the world 'more water than thirst,' so always there will be more mercy than vengeance, so join the Red Cross and help the mercy along."

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WHAT YOU SAW IN THIS PAPER THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Last Thursday Mr. John Kirkhof blasted the stump of Evert Vischer's farm, whose trunk furnished the shingles for the first church ever built in this colony, 34 years ago.

THIRTY YEARS AGO

Thursday morning last, the invalid wife of Mr. F. L. Johnson died in this city.

C. E. Bird and John Nies of the Saugatuck Basket Factory were in Holland last Thursday looking after a carload of machinery for their factory.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Married at Muskegon, Thursday, May 5, Rev. Dr. J. W. Beardslee of this city officiating, Anthony M. Van Duine graduate of the Western Theological Seminary, and Miss Minnie G. Vander Zwaag of Muskegon.

TWENTY YEAR AGO

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. I. Grevengood.

Andrew Gert and Miss Alice Thomas, both of Holland have been granted a marriage license.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

The death of Hendrik Maas occurred at his home, 243 West 14th St. at the age of 81 years.

Miss Mary Francis Souther and Simon Ver Wey were united in marriage Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the M. E. parsonage by Rev. Adam Clark.

TEN YEARS AGO

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vander Water, Friday—a son.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vandersluis celebrated their silver wedding and Mrs. Vandersluis' birthday anniversary yesterday by inviting some friends and relatives.

G. & M. FOREMAN LOSES HIS SON

Mrs. Frank McKinnon of Chicago, Friday appealed to the authorities to find her son, Francis, who disappeared from home Monday morning. Francis is 14 years old, and is wearing his first long trousers of a black and green mixture. He is of slight build and has light hair and blue eyes. His mother fears that he may attempt to enlist. She is prostrated.

Mr. McKinnon is steamship foreman for the Graham & Morton Transportation Company.

SON SENDS LETTER FROM THE FRONT

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bolhuis received the following letter from their son Dee Bolhuis, who is enlisted in Co. 4, C. A. C., Fort Monroe, Va.

Dear Father and Mother:—
I am on battery guard and as I have nothing to do but lay around till 10 o'clock when I go on post, I will write to pass the time.

The company mounted guard yesterday and I was lucky enough to get a battery guard. It is a snap. We call it a day off. I come off at 12 and then I am through till reveille tomorrow morning. I had lots of fun last night halting fellows coming in. You see there are four companies in camp now at the batteries and they all have to pass our battery to get to town. There are a number of recruits in all the companies, some only in service a few days. They started to come from town about 10 o'clock and it was a continuous string till 11. I halted one fellow and asked, "Who's there?" He said, "Me." Well, I said, "Who in the world is me?" He gave his name and I asked him if he was a friend or a German Spy. He got excited then and finally said "Friend." Another recruit called out "I'm a Friend, don't shoot," when I halted him. I like to make some of those fellows afraid.

Our company gets 48 recruits today and about a hundred tomorrow. Monday we go into camp at the battery. I have a fine job now. I am acting Corporal of a squad of men. Have to drill with them and help instruct them. It's no snap, believe me.

We are getting good food now days. Yesterday we had steak, potatoes, gravy, black-eyed beans, bread and butter, coffee and sugar, and some kind of a side dish. This morning we had two fried eggs, potatoes, cream of wheat, bread and butter, coffee and sugar.

We can't complain in the least about the food.

Two aviators were killed at Newport News day before yesterday. One of them was just up for his first trip, the other is a well known aviator.

The most important subject now discussed by the soldiers is the increase in pay. That is all you would hear if you were here. Of course every one wants it.

I have to get busy now and help clean up the tent for the next bunch, so will close.

With lots of love to all,
Your son,
D. Bolhuis.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Henry J. Meenga, 27, clerk, Zeeland, Nellye De Jongh, 24, Holland.

John Fik, 27, tanner, Holland, Renz Bontekoe, Holland.

Burke W. Taylor, 32, machinist, Detroit; Emma H. Damson, 31, Holland.

Louis Lawrence, 23, pharmacist, Hilda Damson, 25, Holland.

Albert Walcott, 21, farmer, Alledale; Cora Potgeter, 19, Jenison.

Jacob Nagelkerke, 26, fisher, Holland; Helen Taggart, 24, Holland.

Adrian De Roos, 23, laborer, Holland; Katherine Olgers, 20, Holland.

ASKS \$20,000 DAMAGES OF INTERURBAN COMPANY

The Grand Rapids, Holland and Chicago railway company is named defendant in a \$20,000 damage action brought Saturday in the circuit court by Fred Soule, administrator of the estate of Oscar Soule, who sustained fatal injuries January 4, 1917, when a wagon on which he was riding was struck by an interurban car at the Wealthy St. Crossing at Grand Rapids. Soule was 59 years old and was earning \$10 a week at his occupation.

DOMESTIC BAKERY DIS- CONTINUES BUSINESS

**MAKES MORE MONEY ON FLOUR
CONTRACT THAN ON
BAKING BREAD**

J. Oudermeulen has discontinued his bakery located on West Sixteenth St., stating that owing to the high cost of everything entering into the baking business made the running of a bakery anything but profitable.

Rumor has it that Mr. Oudermeulen made considerable money on his flour contract. He having signed up for a year at a very reasonable figure, before raise came.

The sum mentioned as made was for several thousand dollars. When the proprietor of the Domestic bakery was told about the story, he said that although he will make a snug little sum on his stock of flour and that which remains still to be delivered, the figures mentioned as his profit were ridiculous, and he smiled when the size of the figures were mentioned.

SUGAR BEETS TO BE CULTIVATED

Pekin, May 17.—The new South Manchuria Sugar Refining Company, Ltd., has leased a large tract of land to the west of Mukden for the purpose of erecting a large sugarbeet factory, and every effort is now being made to interest Chinese farmers of South Manchuria to grow sugar beets for the market.

VAN SCHELVEN HONOR- ED BY M. P. & H. SOCIETY

Two of Holland's men were honored at the Michigan Pioneer and Historical Society which held its annual meeting in the Senate Chamber at Lansing last Wednesday and Thursday of last week. Governor Sleeper among the other speakers gave an address on Michigan in War and Peace.

Rev. Ame Vennema, D. D. president of Hope College spoke on the subject The Rise and Progress of Hope College.

Because of the fact that Gerrit Van Schelven of this city has been so closely identified and has taken such great interest in Western Michigan History he has been honored in this association with the office of Vice President. August C. Carton of East Tawas was named President.

Another reason for the appointment of Mr. Van Schelven, which is very significant is the fact that the Hollanders have played a very important part in the settlement, development and political life of Western Michigan and for that reason a representative from that nationality would not be out of place.

GRADUATING TIME IN CALVIN COLLEGE

This is graduation time at Calvin College and minds are turned to the past, to the men who in years gone by have graduated from old Calvin College. There are especially five men in the Christian Reformed church today that have reason to look back and think of things that happened in the long ago. They are the Rev. Henry Beets, LL. D., the Rev. J. W. Brink, the Rev. D. R. Drukker, the Rev. J. Smittier, and the Rev. J. Timmermann. Exactly 25 years ago these men received their diplomas at Calvin. The five of them made up the entire class. All of them are still in the land of the living and are still doing all they can to further the cause of religion.

Dr. Beets probably is the best known in Grand Rapids. He is now pastor of the local Burton Heights church.

SENTINEL SENDS ANOTH- ER MAN TO THE FRONT

The Holland Daily Sentinel sent another young man to serve his country. Three weeks ago Elmer Poppe and Morris Moody felt it their duty to serve Uncle Sam in the Coast Artillery and are now stationed in Massachusetts. Both are Sentinel boys.

Sunday Carroll Van Ark, writer on the Sentinel joined the U. S. Army Cavalry. He passed the examination at Grand Rapids after which he was given an hour at Holland to bid relatives and friends good-bye, when with nine other Holland boys, started for Columbus, Ohio, from where they will be directed to Fort Ethan Allen in Vermont. The other Holland boys are: Harold Lage, Peter Prins, Arthur Voerman, James Weersing, Leonard Doer, Elmer Jewell, Fred De Jonge, and Cornelius Dosker.

AUTO SPEEDERS, BEAT OFFICERS TO DEATH

Police have positively identified the body of Patrolman Connery, found in a deserted spot near Minneapolis as that of the patrolman missing since he was kidnapped when he arrested two speeders in broad day light last week. Connery's skull was crushed. His police book was lying near the body. He evidently was beaten to death.

AUTO BUS LINE TO SOUTH HAVEN

On Monday last M. E. Morrell started the South Haven-Saugatuck auto bus line on regular schedule. Beginning with a seven passenger Studebaker, he promises to add as many cars as may be required to take care of the summer business. The schedule calls for two round trips daily, including Sunday, leaving South Haven at 7 a. m. and 2:30 p. m., and leaving Saugatuck at 10 a. m. and 4:30 p. m. The running time each way is an hour and a half.

A breakdown marred the first trip, but Mr. Morrell secured another car and landed his passengers here in ample time for the 9 o'clock car.

GIVES SEMINARY \$500.00 AFTER RESIGNING CHAIR

Following his resignation as professor in the Western Theological seminary Rev. John Walter Beardslee, sr. presented the institution with a \$500 check for the library fund. The library comprises about 25,000 volumes and the fund for its maintenance has reached \$5000.

SEMINARY STUDENT AND WIFE IN JAP COSTUM



Rev. and Mrs. Alex Van Bronkhorst.

Above is photo of Rev. and Mrs. Alex Van Bronkhorst who are missionaries in Japan. It will be noticed that they are dressed in Japanese costume. Mr. Van Bronkhorst was a graduate of Hope in '13 and from the Western Theological Seminary three years later.

His wife was formerly Miss Helene De Maagd and graduated from Hope College in the same class with her husband; in fact it was a college romance. While at College Mr. Van Bronkhorst distinguished himself as an athlete and Mrs. Van Bronkhorst represented Hope at the State oratorical contest.

AUSTRIAN USES KNIFE IN A WAR DISCUSSION

**DECK HAND AT LOCAL DOCK IS
FORCED TO GIVE UP JOB;
OTHER CASES UP.**

The docket in Justice Robinson's court shows the following recent cases: Prof. F. N. Patterson paid costs of \$3 for riding his bicycle on the sidewalk.

Harry Morton and Had Fuller, two "boes" are spending 15 days at Grand Haven. Reason—drunk.

Mike Lakovitch, an Austrian, suffered at the Graham & Morton boat dock here "on account of the war." An argument between the other deck hands and himself ended in his being goaded to such a temper that he used a knife. Before Justice Robinson he told his story and was given suspended sentence with the order to keep away from the boat.

TO BE LOT OF PEACHES, APPLES AND PEARS, SAYS GANGES FRUIT GROWER

Register of Deeds Conrad of Allegan county visited his farm in Ganges town Sunday, this being the first time since taking his office. He stated there will be a lot of peaches this year in most places but that a great many orchards will fall short of an average crop; also, that apples and pears are looking fine in the western part of the county, and 1898 laws.

PARENTS-TEACHERS EXPRESS FAVOR OF PHYSICAL TEACHER

The Lincoln P-T club met Thursday evening. The first portion of the program was given by children of the school. Recessional, Adrian Terlouw; vocal solo, Gladys Estelle; vocal solo Helen Bosmag; dialogue, "Taking Care of Babies," Hazel Oosting, Lillian Overweg and Dorothy Newhouse; vocal solo, Marion Cugham; instrumental solo, Leon Kleis; vocal duet, Katherine Dinkeloo, Marinus Skipper; Playlet, "The Paradise of Children," by the 5th grade pupils.

Mr. C. E. Drew spoke to the club concerning the need of expert supervision along the line of physical training in the school of Holland. An enthusiastic discussion followed, the parents and teachers expressing themselves very decidedly in favor of such supervision.

During the evening the orchestra rendered several musical selections. Ice cream and cake were served by the refreshment committee.

MRS. J. J. VAN PUTTEN HEADS LOCAL D. A. R.

The annual business meeting of the Elizabeth Schuyler Hamilton Chapter, D. A. R. was held at the home of Mrs. W. J. Garrod Thursday afternoon. Interesting reports of the year's work were read. The election resulted in the choosing of the following officers: Regent—Mrs. J. J. Van Putten, Jr. Vice Regent—Mrs. W. J. Garrod. Cor. Sec'y—Mrs. J. E. Telling. Directors—Mrs. A. T. Godfrey and Mrs. Robbins.

The officers re-elected were recording secretary, Mrs. Otto Kramer; treasurer, Mrs. H. Lane; chaplain, Miss Knox; and historian, Miss Cotton.

Miss Ruby Hughes gave a very interesting account of her experiences in Cuba. Mrs. Telling sang two charming selections accompanied by Mrs. Robbins. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Gowdy and Miss Cotton.

AFTER SUIT IS DECIDED HOTEL WILL BE BUILT

**MACATAWA RESORT COMPANY
IS BUILDING A NEW
GARAGE**

are going on at Macatawa. The morning car is taking down a load of workmen, skilled in different trades every morning and these are employed in the different parts of the park. S. Miller of the Park Association is overseeing the building of a large garage next to the one put up last year. It is complete with the exception of the roof which is now being placed. This resort is beginning to realize the importance of accommodating motoring parties and this class of trade is especially assured to Holland's resorts since the Pike passes thru this resort district.

The bath house on the Lake Michigan Beach is also being repaired. Part of this building was blown down this winter, taking a large wing and a section of the veranda with it. These are being replaced and the abutments under the structure are being strengthened. During the severe storms of winter with the water and ice constantly churning along the cement sea wall nearly 400 feet of walk and wall was partially or entirely destroyed and will have to be replaced at a cost of at least \$4,500.

A section of wall and walk in front of the Westerveld and Wacho cottages Pinta and Neihe, are considerably damaged. A stretch of the wall in front of the Rev. Adams' cottage has also gone out and the same condition exists near the Graham Taylor cottage. In speaking to Mr. Miller, he said "some of the jetties are working havoc with the sea wall but had it not been for this walk and wall at least 25 or 30 cottages might now be off their foundations. In one place where no wall protected the bank the embankment had eaten in at least 50 feet and a cottage standing near is right on the edge of this cave-in. One more storm and the building would have fallen into the excavation made by the water. I claim that the sea wall has saved most of the cottages on the lake front this winter and while considerable damage was done, we may find a remedy to prevent this altogether."

Mr. Miller stated that if the injunction suit restraining the Macatawa Park Co. from building a large wing extending northeast from the hotel in which it is alleged that it obscured the view from the Wm. Weihe cottage, was decided favorably the addition to the hotel would be started immediately and the company would not wait until fall because the present hotel accommodations were inadequate to take care of the growing business. The case is now in supreme court.

IRVING MADE CORPORAL IS WORD FROM ISLAND

Marshall Irving, one of the seven high school boys who were given a royal send-off when they left for the U. S. marine training camp at Port Royal, is fast rising into honor. A week ago a letter told his friends here that he had been made a squad leader with Stanley Wall.

Today word was received that Irving has been made a corporal. That is the first office about the ranks. Next, his friends say, he will be made a sergeant, and that before long.

Bad weather is felt there as well as here. Again the letter tells of rain coming down in torrents. The life of a marine is the only life, they claim. All the Holland boys are well and enjoying it.

'SEND SOMETHING TO EAT' IS BILL'S PLEA

Willard Leenhouts at Port Royal, wrote a letter to two postal cards to his parents. He says:

May 5, 1917

Dear Folks—

There is no time now to write you a letter so I will just send you this little note. We are in our uniforms now and drill every morning and afternoon except when we have to work. We sure are getting hardened. We carry lumber, etc., and do all kinds of work. Last night we had a cyclone here and about three-fourths of the tents blew down. Ours was a lucky one, but we had to help put up all the cook tents. This life isn't so bad at that. In the morning we are called at 5:45 A. M. and by six we must have all of our tents rolled up and our bunks made up. All of our equipment must be just so, so that everything will be uniform. The food is wholesome, but no taste at all. This morning we had bacon and beans; yesterday we had hash, beans and we have beans once or twice every day. Write often and send something to eat if you possibly can.

I only intended to write one card but continued it on this one and take a chance on your getting them together. Your loving son,

Bill.

AGENT ON TRIP TO CHICAGO AND MILWAUKEE

D. L. Hagerman, Ottawa county farm expert, is making a trip to Chicago and Milwaukee in the interests of the Fruit Growers and Celery Growers Association of Ottawa county. On his trip Mr. Hagerman will visit the commission houses in the two cities for the purpose of arranging a commission rate for local growers. He will also look after transportation arrangements. Mr. Hagerman was accompanied by M. J. Moorman, secretary of the Muskegon celery growers who is going on the same mission. The growers in Ottawa and Muskegon are working together and will try to better growing and selling conditions in their respective counties.

MINISTER GETS GOLD WATCH AND A \$10 GOLD PIECE

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CHURCH REMEMBERED BY
CATECHISM CLASS.**

An unexpected surprise awaited the Rev. Hoeksema when he was called to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scholten, 98 E. 15th street.

Thinking that he was called to perform duties connected with the church he hastened to put in his appearance and was agreeably surprised to find one hundred members of his Sunday after noon catechism class gathered together. He failed to understand the meaning of the gathering until he was advised by mine host, Mr. Scholten, that it was in the nature of a surprise.

A program of music and speaking had been arranged for with E. Holko-beer as master of ceremony.

As the evening entertainment progressed Mr. Scholten called for order and in a very appropriate speech presented the faithful pastor with a gold watch and a ten dollar gold piece.

The donee was overcome when the gift was presented and the sentiments thus expressed, that it was difficult for him to tell of his appreciation. He did however in some well-chosen words after which the good ladies of the church served an elaborate luncheon and the happy catechism class departed for their respective homes.

HAVE THE STARS AND STRIPES IN 3RD CHURCH

Worshippers Sunday in the Third Reformed church saw an unusual sight upon entering the edifice. Moved by the patriotic spirit that is rampant in the country, the Sunday School of the Third Reformed church also felt this spirit and for that reason purchased a most beautiful flag measuring 12x18 feet which occupies the top most peak in the organ loft, directly above the pulpit.

The social Friday night was a very patriotic affair, the rostrum being decorated with flags and emblems.

To Mr. and Mrs. A. Vischer belongs the credit of the floral decorations. Daffodils, Hyacinths and Narcissus, were very much in evidence.

More than three hundred guests listened to a program of music, recitations and speeches. Those taking part were a quartette, consisting of Ralph Van Lente, Nick Dykema, Gerard Cook and Wm. Vander Hart and talk was given by M. Van Dyke, an address on the work of the Sunday School by Henry Pelgrim, Jr., a violin solo by Miss Kathryn Koster, piano duet, Miss Ruth Rietema and Mrs. Wm. Eby, address by Rev. Filipse. The program closed with the audience singing America when the guests retired to the church chapel where elaborate refreshments were served by the ladies of the church.

Next September the Third Reformed church will celebrate the Fiftieth Anniversary of that congregation.

ELECT DELEGATES FOR THE STATE MEET

At the W. C. T. U. meeting Friday afternoon at the home of the H. J. Veldman, Mrs. Van Duren gave a full explanation of Red Cross work and many ladies signified their willingness to help by paying the membership fee which is one dollar. Several are already knitting bandages and spending a part of their time at headquarters, at the work.

Mrs. Veldman who had charge of the program read a paper, "The Church and the W. C. T. U.," and Miss Veldman played a selection from Padewski.

The following were elected delegates to the state convention to be held at Galamazoo May 29-31. Mrs. DeMerrell, Mrs. Eidson, Mrs. Dubbink, Mrs. Huizinga; alternates, Mrs. Blekkink, Mrs. Dutton, Mrs. Champion.

KNICKERBOCKER GIVES \$1.00 TO RED CROSS

The Ottawa County Chapter of the American National Red Cross was given another boost Saturday when the treasurer of the Knickerbocker society of Hope College, an organization composed of thirty-five young men of the College Department, more than half of whom have already enlisted in both the arm and farm service for Uncle Sam, presented the chairman of the Red Cross organization, the Hon. G. J. Diekema, with a check for One Hundred Dollars, as a personal sacrifice from the Knickerbocker Society men. In view of the fact that it is so near the end of the College year, when as a rule the college students are more or less financially embarrassed, the sacrifice is considered the greater. This action on the part of these College men for the sake of the common cause, should inspire other organizations, as well as public-minded and national spirited citizens to render their share for those that will need the aid on America's future battle fields.

The members of the society will receive their buttons from the chairman, as son as they are received, and the chairman wished to publicly thank the Knickerbocker men in the name of the county organization.

MAY ERECT NEW SCHOOL BUILDING IN FERRYBURG

Grand Haven, Mich., May 17—There will be a special meeting of district No. 1, Ferryburg next Tuesday, to discuss the erection of a new \$12,000 school building to replace the present frame building. The proposed new building will be of brick and will have four rooms.

WANTED—Machinist and bench hands, also helpers for both day and night force. Western Machine Tool Works.

"PUDDENHEAD WILSON"

TO BE SEEN AT APOLLO

ST. FRANCIS LADIES TO GIVE PHOTO PLAY FOR RED CROSS.

The Ladies Aid society of St. Francis Catholic church will give a play "Puddenhead Wilson," at the Apollo Theater on May 28 for the benefit of the Red Cross society. This picture is one of the best obtainable. It is a dramatization of Mark Twain's story by that name, a story that is conceded to be the masterpiece of the author that portrays in a highly humorous manner Mark Twain's conception of the typical American boy.

There will be four performances of this play on Monday the 28th, two in the afternoon and two in the evening. The afternoon matinee will be at 2 and 3:30 P. M. and in the evening the time will be 7 and 8:30 P. M.

Tickets are now on sale and the price for all seats for both the afternoon and evenings' shows will be fifteen cents.



The Red Mist

A Tale of Civil Strife

By RANDALL PARRISH
Illustrated by C. D. Rhodes

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SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I—Confederate Sergeant Wyatt of the Stantun artillery is sent as a spy to his native county on the Green Briar by General Jackson.

CHAPTER II—Wyatt meets a mountaineer named Jim Taylor, with whom he rides to a house beyond Hot Springs.

CHAPTER III—In the house Wyatt and Taylor meet Major Harwood, father of Noreen and an old neighbor. Wyatt who is sent to bed while the two other men talk. Wyatt becomes suspicious, and finds that Taylor has murdered Harwood and escaped.

CHAPTER IV—Wyatt changes to the U. S. cavalry uniform he has with him, and rides away in the night, running into a detachment of Federal cavalry, to whom he identifies himself as Lieutenant Raymond, Third U. S. cavalry, by means of papers with which he has been provided. Captain Fox finds Harwood's body and follows Taylor's trail.

CHAPTER V—Fox and Wyatt believe Taylor to be old Ned Cowan. The detachment is ambushed. Wyatt escapes to the Green Briar country and goes to Harwood's apparently deserted home.

CHAPTER VI—Wyatt finds Noreen Harwood alone in her home. She does not recognize him, and he introduces himself as Lieutenant Raymond.

CHAPTER VII—Parson Nichols comes to the house and tells Noreen of her father's death.

CHAPTER VIII—Wyatt forces Parson Nichols to confess that he has been sent in advance of Anne Cowan, who proposes to marry Noreen at once, and so quiet title to the land in dispute between the Cowans and Noreen's dead father.

CHAPTER IX—Anne Cowan and his gang arrive and find the preacher bound in a closet. Wyatt and Noreen have concealed themselves in the attic.

CHAPTER X—The Cowan gang ransacks the house but fails to find the hidden couple. Wyatt tells Noreen who he is.

CHAPTER XI—Wyatt and Noreen return to the second floor and await the next move of the gang, forcing the preacher to silence.

CHAPTER XII—Unable to escape while the gang is on the first floor and around the house, Wyatt proposes to marry Noreen to protect her from Cowan. She accepts and Wyatt forces the preacher to marry them.

CHAPTER XIII—Cowan's gang is driven off by Federal troops, one of whose officers is the real Lieutenant Raymond. Wyatt is trapped, though Noreen attempts to defend him.

CHAPTER XIV—Wyatt is taken to Lewisburg for trial as a spy.

CHAPTER XV—The camp commandant and Captain Fox visit Wyatt in his cell in the courthouse basement. He refuses amnesty in return for information, and uses his boyhood's knowledge of the building to prepare a way of escape.

CHAPTER XVI—Captain Fox again visits Wyatt, and tells him that Noreen has interceded for him unsuccessfully, and that Raymond, jealous, is pushing the case against him.

CHAPTER XVII—Wyatt escapes to the attic and thence to the sheriff's office by means of a disused, old-fashioned chimney, washes off the soot and changes clothes in the deserted washroom, and re-enters.

CHAPTER XVIII—Wyatt surprises Raymond and the camp commandant, holds them up, and with the aid of Noreen, gets out of headquarters room in the courthouse.

CHAPTER XIX—Wyatt and Noreen obtain horses and escape from Lewisburg.

CHAPTER XX—They meet old Ned Cowan in a deserted cabin, and in a fight Cowan is killed.

"Then your proposal was merely made in the hope of thus protecting me from insult?"

"That was my sole thought at the time," I replied soberly. "It was a desperate chance, yet the only one apparently left us. That is what I wanted to say, to explain. I went on hastily, before she could interrupt. I realize the serious mistake made, and how embarrassing it must all be to you. But you must believe me a gentleman. I would never have spoken a word you, Miss Noreen, I realize that I have no right."

to justify my action in aiding your escape. My being your—your wife was the only excuse I could urge for such disloyalty."

"And now you are sorry?"

"I do not know," hesitatingly. "I cannot decide. Where do you take me?"

"Noreen," I said soberly, struggling to keep my head from touching her own, where it rested on the grass, "it is too late now to go back; to think of going back. We cannot deny or conceal our marriage, since you have openly acknowledged it, and we have gone away together. There is only one straight path left for us now—across the mountains to old Virginia."

"I—I know—and then?"

"You must trust my honor, my discretion. We are friends, you say, and I mean to prove worthy. My orders will take me to Richmond; have you either friends or relatives there?"

"I am not sure, the war has made such changes—but I hardly think any in whom I could confide."

"Then we will find a way for you to join my mother; she is in North Caro-



Noreen Was Within a Few Feet of Me Higher Up On the Bank.

lina, out of the track of armies. You will consent to go to her?"

"If you think it best. I—I have never met your mother; perhaps—"

"You will be just as welcome; I will write her every detail, and she will be rejoiced to shelter you. The only trouble is the necessary delay involved by the war; the impossibility of your venturing to return to Green Briar until the conflict is over."

She was silent a long while, her eyes cast down, her breathing noticeably rapid. I waited, not knowing what else to add, and was about to propose her lying down, when she spoke suddenly:

"You mean our—our separation?"

"Certainly. That can be easily arranged as soon as the courts are again in session. Possibly the ceremony was not even legal without witnesses, but, under the circumstances, it had better be dissolved in court. Such action would remove all doubt from your mind."

"Yes—I suppose so; you—you make it very clear. And that would have to be done in Green Briar!—the—the action for divorce?"

"At Lewisburg; not necessarily, of course, but I supposed you would rather have the facts made known there, so that your friends can realize all the conditions—the cause, I mean. Possibly you may not need to do this."

"Not need! Why?"

"A soldier never knows what another minute means; I am a soldier."

She did not look at me, or move, although I thought the hand resting on the grass trembled.

"I believe I will lie down," she said finally. "Is that the place you have chosen, beyond those trees?"

"Yes; let me help you up; the blankets are both yours. I shall not need any."

I stood and watched her move across through the mingled shade and sun, until her slender form finally disappeared behind the screen of undergrowth. Once she had glanced about, pausing as though some thought had occurred suddenly, but she did not speak. I was left alone.

CHAPTER XXIII.

The Cane Ridge Meeting House.

The spot where Noreen lay was not fifty feet distant, but my position gave me no glimpse of her through the tangled brush. I must have dozed, for the sun was high overhead when I finally aroused myself, and arose to my feet. I watered the animals, and seated myself again, this time on a flat stone beside the stream. Surely I had never been here before, even in the days of my boyhood's vagrant tramping, and yet that terraced crest, with the huge rock chimney rising conspicuously at its center, revived a recollection that would not be entirely denied. I had seen it before, but from another angle—from the south; from that hillside, perhaps, where the creek headed. Why, that was Cane Ridge!

I do not know why I laughed, but I did—perhaps it was from sudden relief at thus discovering exactly where we were, and seeing clearly the easier way out. The sound of a foot stepping on a round stone caused me to face about. Noreen was within a few feet of me, higher up on the bank, one hand holding back the bough of a tree.

"Why were you laughing?" she asked.

"I thought you had gone until I heard that sound."

"I had to laugh when the truth finally came to me; that is Cane Ridge."

"Where—where the Baptist church is?"

"Exactly; where Parson Nichols points out to his congregation the straight and narrow way. There is a bridge path yonder leading up the valley, which will save us a five-mile detour. But it means we are still in Cowan's country, and to climb there with horses will require the use of daylight."

"You think Anne—"

"Is probably back before this, and doing his best to trail us. Even if he does not discover the body of old Ned, he will naturally conclude we will head east. My only hope is that, not having seen us last night he may imagine we chose the southern route, and ride there first. But if he did, doubtless he would send some one of his men scouting this way."

"You have heard—seen nothing?"

"No, we are too far back; the noise of an army passing along the pike would not reach here. If we get to Cane Ridge church before dark, we must trust to luck, and the night for the next thirty miles."

"You fear Cowan's gang more than the troops? Surely they will pursue?"

"No doubt; Pickney will be raving, and Raymond crazy to get hand on me. Ay! there will be some galloping of troopers. I should have liked to see Fox's face when he heard the news. By heavens! they are like eagles to charge him with conspiracy, for he was officer of the day. However, I do not greatly fear them; they will make noise enough to warn us, and couldn't track a bear. It is the mountain men we must guard against; they are wolves. You slept well?"

"After the first half hour. I am rested, and strong. Shall we go now?"

"When we have eaten. There may be no other opportunity, and there is ample time."

We sat over the poor meal a long while, talking like old friends, laughing over revived memories, almost forgetting that we were fugitives, our very lives at stake. Twice we heard guns, but the reports were but distant echoes, sounding afar off to the westward. Yet these made me nervous to get away, and when a number sounded together—almost a volley, distinctly audible, I hastened to pack what little remained of food on our horses, and led the way, fording the shallow stream, and guiding my horse up the opposite bank into the deep shadow of the woods beyond. The summit of the hill was open, except for a considerable grove to the rear of the church. That edifice appeared, as I remembered it, unchanged in any respect—a fairly large building, constructed solidly of logs, with square clapboarded tower in front, four windows on each side, containing small panes of glass, a number of them broken. We were at the rear, which showed a larger window, and a narrow door at one corner, protected by a porch. It appeared desolate and deserted, the loneliness accentuated by the empty hitching racks on either side.

We advanced side by side along, what was once a well-trodden path, making no attempt at concealment. Indeed, any such effort would have been useless, as the crest of the ridge lay open, and bare of vegetation, but I was so fully convinced we were unobserved that I took no precaution—my entire thought, indeed, centered upon the girl at my side.

The heavy latch of the front door lifted easily to the pressure of my hand, and we stepped into a narrow vestibule, Noreen grasping my arm nervously, as she faced the shadowed interior of the deserted building. Some instinct of caution caused me to close the door behind us, and then I drew her forward, laughing at her fears until we obtained glimpse of the larger room, already becoming obscured by the approaching night. It was a rather shabby-looking place, not overly clean, even in that merciful dimness. Rude benches, without backs, stretched almost from wall to wall, a narrow aisle leading to the pulpit, set within an alcove, and scarcely discernible except in barest outlines. I recognized a big Bible, lying open on the gaunt pulpit stand. A book of some kind, dog-eared and coverless, lay on the floor at my feet, and I bent to pick it up. As I came upright again, a man stepped from the shadow of a corner, and the steel barrel of a revolver flashed before my eyes. I felt Noreen cringe against me, uttering a muffled cry.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

PROMINENT AMERICAN MISSIONARY EXPRESSES

News has been received here of the recent death in Cairo of Rev. Andrew Watson, nestor of the American mission in Egypt. Mr. Watson was born in Scotland, was graduated from Princeton and Pittsburgh seminaries and he had been connected with the American mission for 55 years. Since 1892 he had been president of the Cairo seminary in which Rev. J. Kruidenier, formerly of this city is instructor. Mr. Watson was 83 years of age.

HOLLAND-ST LOUIS SUGAR PAYS 3% ON COMMON

On May 22 the Holland-St. Louis Sugar Co. stockholders will be paid a 3% dividend on their common stock.

FOR SALE—Yearling hens, \$1.50 each. Lakewood Farm, R. R. No. 6. 2119

GIVES LIBRARY TO LOCAL SEMINARY

FORMER HOPE GRADUATE RE-MEMBERS THE WESTERN THEOLOGICAL

The Rev. Dirk J. De Bey of Lansing, Illinois, graduate of Hope College in 1879 has presented his library to the Western Theological Seminary. It consists of over four hundred forty volumes many of which are of great value. The books are now being classified and catalogued and marked with the stamp of the Seminary and the donor's name.

According to the usual practice of the Seminary in recent years, those volumes which are duplicate will be sold to the students and the money accruing therefrom will be used to purchase new books to fill gaps in the Seminary collections. So nothing is wasted.

FOR SALE—Ideal Eight Acre Fruit Farm, near town; good soil; good buildings. Offer Owner, Douglas, Michigan.

Expire August 14, 1917
MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage made by Frank P. Karasch, widower, to Franc Zabelka, both of Holland township, State of Michigan, dated this 17th day of July, 1914, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Ottawa county, Michigan, on the 20th day of July, A. D. 1914, in Liber 102 of Mortgages, page 135.

And whereas said mortgage contained a covenant and agreement that if the interest was unpaid for the space of sixty (60) days, after the same shall fall due, the whole amount of the principal as well as all interest shall thereupon become due and payable forthwith. And the mortgage also covenants that said first party shall and will keep the buildings situated upon the lands hereafter described, insured against loss and damage by fire, and, in default thereof, the whole amount of principal as well as the interest thereon, and the insurance premium thus paid shall become due and payable forthwith.

And whereas the interest of the principal named in said mortgage is due and payable and has been due and payable for more than sixty days, and still remains unpaid, and whereas the first party has defaulted in having the said buildings insured as provided in said mortgage, therefore, there is now claimed to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of Nine Hundred and Thirty-five dollars, (\$935.00), and attorney fee of Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) provided for at law having been instituted to recover the money secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now therefore by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given, that on the 23rd day of August A. D. 1917, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the North front door of the Court House, in the City of Grand Haven, in said County of Ottawa, (that being the place where the Circuit Court for said County of Ottawa is held), the premises described in said mortgage to pay the amount of the mortgage indebtedness, with 6 per cent interest from and after day and date and all legal costs, together with said attorney fees.

The premises described in said mortgage are as follows: A parcel of land situated in the Township of Holland, County of Ottawa and State of Michigan, described and being the Northwest quarter (N. W. 1/4) of the Southeast quarter (S. E. 1/4) of Section ten (10), Township five (5), North of Range sixteen (16) West, containing forty (40) acres of land more or less according to government survey.

FRANC ZABELKA,
M. A. Sooy,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
Business Address: Holland, Michigan.

CERTIFICATE OF DETERMINATION STATE OF MICHIGAN

County of Ottawa
The Board of County Canvassers of Ottawa County having ascertained and canvassed the several wards, townships and districts of said County, at the Annual Election held on Monday, the second day of April, 1917.

DO HEREBY DETERMINE
That ORLEN S. CROSS, having received the largest number of votes is elected to the office of CIRCUIT JUDGE of the TWENTY-THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT.

On the Proposition relative to the elective franchise that YES received the largest number of votes and it is declared that said proposition DID carry in said county.

On the Proposition relative to authorizing Drainage Districts to issue bonds for Drainage purposes that YES received the largest number of votes and it is declared that said proposition DID carry in said county.

On the Proposition with reference to the right of the State to acquire, hold, and dispose of certain property, that YES received the largest number of votes and it is declared that said proposition DID carry in said county.

On the Proposition relative to the salaries of State Officers that NO received the largest number of votes and it is declared that said proposition DID NOT carry in said county.

On the Proposition relative to the construction, improvement and maintenance of Highways that YES received the largest number of votes and it is declared that said proposition DID carry in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto set our hands and affixed the seal of the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa this 12th day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

C. F. VANDER VEEN,
HENRY VAN NOORD,
Board of County Canvassers.

ORRIS J. SLATTERY,
Clerk of Board of County Canvassers.

EARL B. THURSTON,
Chairman of Board of County Canvassers.

7680—Expires May 26

STATE OF MICHIGAN—THE Probate Court for the County of Ottawa

At a session of said Court, held at Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in said County, on the 7th day of May, A. D. 1917.

Present, Hon. James J. Danhof, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Adriana Karsten, Deceased.

Anna C. Karsten having filed her petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to Anna C. Karsten or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 4th day of June, A. D. 1917 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Holland City News a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

JAMES J. DANHOF,
(A true copy.) Judge of Probate

WILFORD F. KIEFT,
Register of Probate

7672—Expires May 19

STATE OF MICHIGAN—THE Probate Court for the County of Ottawa.

At a session of said Court, held at Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in said County, on the 28th day of April, A. D. 1917.

Present, Hon. James J. Danhof, Judge of Probate.

7675—Expires May 26

STATE OF MICHIGAN—THE Probate Court for the County of Ottawa

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in said County, on the 3rd day of May, A. D. 1917.

Present, Hon. James J. Danhof, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Leendert D. Viessers, Deceased.

John C. Viessers, having filed his petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate be granted to John C. Viessers or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 4th day of June, A. D. 1917 at ten A. M., at said Probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That Public Notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Holland City News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

JAMES J. DANHOF,
(A True Copy) Judge of Probate.

WILFORD F. KIEFT,
Register of Probate.

7598—Expires May 19

STATE OF MICHIGAN—THE Probate Court for the County of Ottawa

In the matter of the Estate of John Visser, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 6th of April, A. D. 1917 have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said County, on or before the 6th day of August, A. D. 1917, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Thursday the 9th day of Aug. A. D. 1917, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated April 6th, A. D. 1917.

JAMES J. DANHOF,
Judge of Probate

7671—Expires May 19

STATE OF MICHIGAN—THE Probate Court for the County of Ottawa

At a session of said Court, held at Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in said County, on the 27th day of April, A. D. 1917.

Present, Hon. James J. Danhof, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Klaas Brouwer, Deceased.

Arend K. Brouwer, having filed his petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to Isaac Marsilje and Arend K. Brouwer or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 31st day of May, A. D. 1917, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Holland City News a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

JAMES J. DANHOF,
(A true copy) Judge of Probate

WILFORD F. KIEFT,
Register of Probate.

7672—Expires May 19

STATE OF MICHIGAN—THE Probate Court for the County of Ottawa

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on the 28th day of April, A. D. 1917.

Present, Hon. James J. Danhof, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Elisabeth Kluver alias Kleaver, Deceased.

Frank Kleaver having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Elina Kleaver of some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 31st day of May A. D., 1917, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Holland City News a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

JAMES J. DANHOF,
(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.

WILFORD F. KIEFT,
Register of Probate.

7615—Expires June 2

STATE OF MICHIGAN—THE Probate Court for the County of Ottawa

In the Matter of the Estate of Andries Steketee, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 9th of May A. D. 1917, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said County, on or before the 9th day of Sept. A. D. 1917, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday, the 10th day of Sept. A. D. 1917 at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated May 9, A. D. 1917.

JAMES J. DANHOF,
(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.

WILFORD F. KIEFT,
Register of Probate.

7635—Expires May 19

STATE OF MICHIGAN—THE Probate Court for the County of Ottawa

In the matter of the estate of Derk Hendrik Bosman, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 28th day of April, A. D. 1917 have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on or before the

28th day of August, A. D. 1917 and that said claims will be heard by said court on Thursday the 30th day of Aug. A. D. 1917 at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated April 28, A. D. 1917.

JAMES J. DANHOF,
Judge of Probate.

HOLLAND CITY MARKETS

Beach Milling Co. (Selling Prices of Grain)	
Wheat, white	2.84
Wheat, red	2.89
Buckwheat —per 100	2.89
Oats, per bu	1.85
Corn	76-81
Corn	1.70
(Feed in Two Lots)	
St. Car Feed	65.00
No. 1 Feed	65.00
Cracked Corn	65.00
Corn Meal	47.00
Brans	55.00
Middlings	50.00
Screenings	50.00
Oil Meal	55.00
Cotton Seed Meal	52.00
Krause Hi-Protein Dairy Feed	54.00
Low Grade	66.00
Badger Horse Feed	58.00
Molenaar & De Goeds	
R. K. D. Dairy Feed	48.00
Butter, dairy	34
Pork	17 to 17 1/2
Mutton	19
Veal	13 to 15
Chickens	17
Butter, creamery	39
Eggs	31

An Example for the State

The decision of the Holland fair directors not to hold a fair the coming fall has value not only for this immediate community but its value as an example for the rest of the state is doubly great. What the people of this community and of all communities in the state need is a truer realization of the seriousness of the situation that faces the American people today. This war is no holiday affair. All the indications are that it is going to tax the nation's energies to the limit, and it is a wholesome thing to have the true condition brot to people's attention.

A fair is held mainly because of its advertising value for a community. But looked at even simply from a purely commercial point of view, the action of the board of directors last night is going to be the best advertising that this community could possibly receive. The news of that action is going to feature in the newspapers of the state and is going to make the people of Michigan talk about the spirit of this county because it rings true and in harmony with the needs of the times.

As the directors suggested last night, the suspension of the fair for one year is not the result of panic. The action was taken on the high ground of patriotism and principle. The single duty of every citizen, of every organization, of all bodies of men and women everywhere is to produce more food and more tangible resources that can feed and clothe the peoples of the world. And that business must not be retarded by anything, whether profitable or not. A fair might pay in dollars and cents for the South Ottawa and West Allegan Fair association but if it should fail to pay at the same time for the United States of America it would still be a losing venture. Taken from this point of view there can be no criticism of the action of the fair directors.

LOCALS

Tony Schermer was a Grand Rapids visitor today.

Carl Bowen, City Engineer, is in Grand Rapids on business today.

Mrs. J. De Koning and daughter Marjorie are Grand Rapids visitors today.

The poor cost the city \$83 the last two weeks, according to Alderman F. Brieve, director of the poor.

Lee Cummings and Chris Korose have been granted licenses to conduct their pool and billiard parlors for another year.

Henry Mouw and Jacob Wierda caught a silver catfish in Black river Wednesday night that tipped the scales at fifteen pounds.

The Van Raalte P-T club will hold the last meeting of the school year Friday evening at 7:30. Election of officers and a large crowd is desired.

D. Oosting was given the city scavenger job last evening by the Common Council instead of D. Ras, the present scavenger. There was a jittney difference in the bids in favor of D. Oosting.

The war department has asked the city to give over the places generally used for election purposes to the department to be used for registration purposes during the conscription period. The request was granted unanimously.

The Rev. B. H. Einink, pastor of the Central Avenue Christian Reformed church, has set something of an enviable record in the matter of conducting funerals. So far during 1917 he has presided at twenty of the mournful rites.

The Prospect Park Christian Reformed church has nominated a trio of ministers from whom a pastor will be elected to succeed the Rev. A. J. Bus who has left for Chicago. The trio consists of the Rev. W. P. Van Wyk, B. B. Kuiper and J. Vander Riet.

Carroll Van Ark wires that all the Holland boys left for Dallas, Texas, this noon which apparently is a new order issued by the war department as it was first intended that the Holland boys should go to Fort Ethan Allen, N. Hampshire.

Thomas White who asked permission from the Common Council to place a gasoline pump on West Eighth street at the Shoe Shine Parlors was refused the request. The location was considered not proper or safe to have gasoline.

The Daily Northwestern, of Evanston College, Chicago, Ill., has a half column write-up of Doc Mulder, a Holland boy, who was elected captain of the Water Basket Ball team. Mr. Mulder has come into prominence in the sporting fraternity of Northwestern College.

The Eastern Star Will use the City Hall on June 13 for convention purposes, while the Elks will hold a flag day meeting there on the evening June 14 to celebrate Flag Day.

BOB JONES REVIVAL TO CLOSE NEXT SUNDAY

Holland people who have been attending the Bob Jones meetings in Grand Rapids will have their last opportunity to hear the evangelist next Sunday when the six weeks' series of religious meetings closes. Mr. Jones' theme in the morning will be "Heaven," and in the afternoon he will discuss the subject of "False Religions."

The records of the campaign show that there have been more than 4,000 "trail hitters" so far. Mr. Jones will spend the summer at his home in Montgomery, Ala.

A large delegation from Holland is expected to go to Grand Rapids Sunday to witness the closing scenes of the revival.

TO TURN FAIR GROUNDS INTO COW PASTURE

BUILDINGS MAY BE USED FOR STORAGE PURPOSES AND POTATOES PLANTED WITHIN RACE TRACK.

The Holland Fair grounds during the coming summer will in all probability be a cow pasture, while at least a part of it may be planted to potatoes. The buildings on the grounds, instead of being used the coming fall to exhibit hogs and horses and cattle, will, if present plans materialize, be used as storage room for automobiles of a large automobile concern.

The committee on grounds and buildings was given authority by the fair directors last night to make the best deals possible to get revenue out of the grounds. The only condition that was imposed upon them was that no part of the grounds was to be plowed for growing crops with the exception of that included within the circle of the race track. The rest will remain undisturbed.

MAN IN THE SMALL TOWN IS BUYING THE LUXURIES NOW

SO SAYS HOLLAND CIGAR MANUFACTURER; LARGER CITIES ARE MORE CRAMPED

It is the man in the city who is the first to feel the pinch of war conditions. This fact, generally known, is illustrated by the experience of a local cigar manufacturer. His article being a luxury, it would stand to reason that it would be among the first cut out by the man who faces real strain in living conditions. The cigar manufacturer declares that in the small country towns that live wholly on farm trade business is exceptionally good, but the it is in the larger cities where the cigar business is not up to the usual standard. The farmer is buying the luxuries these days while the city man is hauling in his horns.

Mr. Himebaugh of the Royal Theater requested the Common Council for a license at the Movie House, June 14 when the old license expires. It was left to the license committee.

HOLLAND COMES UNDER NEW STATE LAW

CITY CANNOT REPEAL OR PASS ITS OWN BUILDING ORDINANCE AFTER THIS

The uncertainty and trouble that arose a year or more ago about Holland's building ordinance and which resulted in the repeal of such an ordinance can never come up again. In a very short time now Holland, together with all other cities in the state with more than 10,000 population, will operate under the new state housing code that was passed by the legislature recently.

It is safe to say that only a few persons in Holland are familiar with the provisions of the code which they will have to obey as soon as the new law goes into effect. After this if a man wants to make alterations in the

architecture of his home he cannot do so until he has first secured the necessary permit. Also when a citizen plans to build a new home he cannot go ahead until his plans and specifications are found to be in accordance with the provisions of the new housing code.

One of the main things the new code aims at is the reduction of fire risks. The theory of the law is that no man has the right to erect a building which shall be more liable to fire than necessary, since by that same token he is making his neighbor's houses more liable to fire also.

Another aim of the new code is to discourage the building of homes that shall be a menace to the health of the inmates. This also is on the theory that no man has a right to endanger the health of his neighbor, which he does by endangering his own.

The new housing code which the people of Holland will soon be called upon to obey is a lengthy document and it is considered one of the most complete codes of its kind anywhere in operation in the United States. It was passed so that the different cities of the state could no longer let purely local matters govern them in regulating building and thus deprive the public of the best protection which experts along this line have devised.



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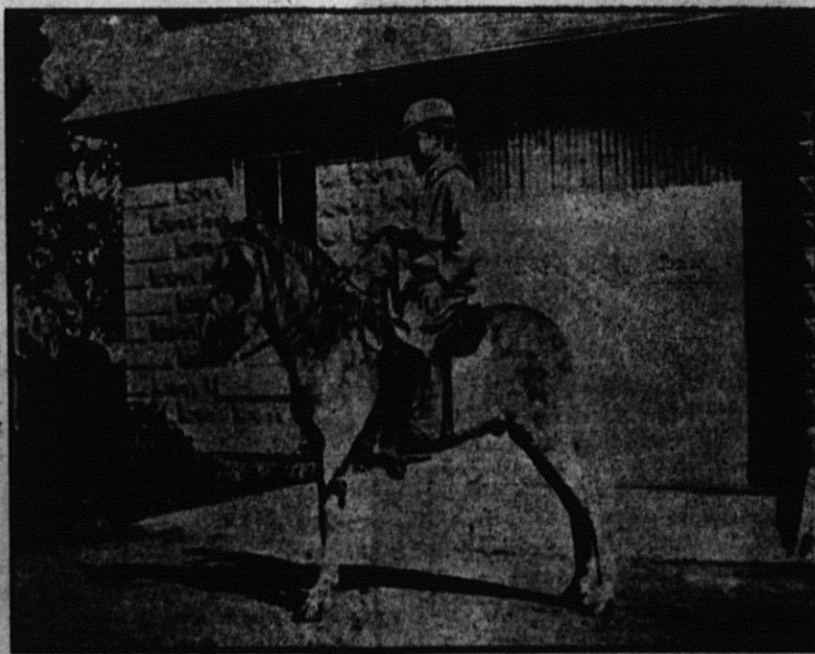
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